

POISON FOUND IN DEAD MAN'S STOMACH

PUTS FORTH EFFORT TO PREVENT A WAR

RUSSIA IS USING ALL INFLUENCE TOWARD PEACE.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 27.—Russia is using all her influence at Berlin to prevent a rupture between France and Germany. Her action has been taken at the instance of Paris, where the Rouvier government is apparently convinced that Germany proposes to persist in her attitude, even to the point of provoking war.

On account of the close relations existing between the courts of Berlin and St. Petersburg, it is believed in France that Russia will have more influence upon Emperor William than any other power. Earnest representations in favor of concessions to insure avoidance of an appeal to arms were accordingly begun, to which Germany replied that she had no desire to provoke war. Nevertheless, she gave no indication that she proposed to modify her attitude, and Russia's latest advice from Algeiras indicate that practically all hope of an agreement had been abandoned.

HIS OPINION.

Although Count Cassini, head of the Russian mission, reports that the conference will be fruitless, he expresses a decided opinion that hostilities will not result. Russia is much concerned about the situation, as war between France and Germany would greatly embarrass her. Not only is the Russian Government so engrossed with the interior situation as not to be in a position to offer aid to her ally, but war would end the possibility of contracting another loan in Paris, of which Russia is in urgent need.

WITTE IN FAVOR.

Premier Witte has now become a distinct advocate of an Anglo-Russian understanding, and it is understood that negotiations have or are about to be opened in London to determine the status of this agreement.

If they are successful a new grouping of the powers will undoubtedly check Germany's ambitions. The main obstacle to an understanding is the dispute regarding the respective spheres of influence of Russia and Great Britain in Persia, as the Russians are loath to abandon their plans for reaching the Persian gulf.

STRICKEN BLIND IN A THEATER

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 27.—While attending a local theater yesterday, A. L. McPhail of New York, one of the best known circus men in the United States, suddenly became blind. Thinking it was but a freak of his imagination, he lighted a match and held the flame before his eyes. His act attracted the attention of the audience, and the players on the stage, and when an usher went to his aid it was found that he had collapsed.

A physician was summoned who announced that McPhail had been stricken with apoplexy. He was removed to the Allegheny general hospital, where his condition today was reported still serious.

FIVE BURGLARS DYNAMITE BANK

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Feb. 27.—Five burglars dynamited the People's Bank at Kenny, Ill., early today, securing \$600 in coin, but failing to open the inside safe containing \$5000. They were observed by a girl in an adjoining hotel, who were too badly frightened to give the alarm until the burglars had escaped on an Illinois Central train. The bank is owned by Snell & Ingram of Clinton, Ill.

SENATOR PERKINS IS IN FAVOR OF GOV. PARDEE

Says He Has Made an Excellent Chief Executive and Wants Him Continued in Office.

The following letter from Senator George C. Perkins is self-explanatory:

"Washington, D. C., February 20, 1906.

"F. R. Porter, Esq., Oakland California.

"Dear Mr. Porter: Your favor of recent date, written to me from Oroville on the letterhead of the old Union Hotel, came duly to hand. I am very glad to hear from you; and especially so as you write from my old home in Oroville, where I spent so many happy days of my life. My associations in that town and county were and are of the most pleasant character, and friendships there formed in my boyhood days have continued ever since, and I trust will remain until the end.

IN HEARTS OF PEOPLE.

"You state that you saw no monument in Oroville to my memory. Well, I would rather be enshrined in the hearts of the people than to have erected in my name the most beautiful monument. But there are many evidences that exist there which to my mind are more enduring than marble or granite, and they are associated with the most delightful memories.

"There are hundreds of trees, citrus and ornamental, that I planted with my own hands; I assisted in building the schoolhouse and the brick church, and donated to that church a bell, which, I understand, is free from the flaw that afflicts the old Independence bell in Philadelphia—that is, it has not been cracked, although the donor perhaps is somewhat battered up by time.

DONATED A PUBLIC LIBRARY.

"I also donated a public library and a thousand or more books. It is not perhaps equal in beauty or splendor to a Carnegie library, but proportionately to my income it afforded me as much pleasure as Mr. Carnegie's generous gifts.

"I do not refer to this boastfully, but simply that you may know that Oroville, the 'Gem of the Foothills,' will always be associated in my mind as a place of beauty and happiness.

HE IS FOR PARDEE.

"I note that you are campaigning the State, booming Mr. Hayes of San Jose for next Governor of California.

"While I realize, of course, that he is one of California's most eminent citizens, but somewhere in the Good Book I have read that he who is not faithful to his own is everything that is bad, therefore it is only natural that I should be for an Alameda county man, and especially an Oaklander, for Governor.

"Our present Governor, George C. Pardee, has made a most excellent chief executive, and has won the respect and confidence of all who know him. Why, therefore, should he not be continued in well doing. With kind regards, I remain, yours very truly,

"GEORGE C. PERKINS."

ORDER PREACHER TO JAIL

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 27.—Judge Munger, in the United States District Court this morning, overruled the motion for a new trial in the case of the Rev. George G. Ware of Lead, S. D., president of the U. B. I. Cattle Company, recently convicted of conspiracy to defraud the United States Government by means of illegal homestead entries. The judge then sentenced the prisoner to imprisonment for one year in the county jail at this place and to pay a fine of \$1000. An appeal will be taken. Ware has been for many years pastor of Episcopal churches at Lead and Deadwood, S. D.

GUNBOATS LEAVE SHANGHAI

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The Navy Department has received a cablegram from Shanghai announcing the departure from there yesterday of the gunboats El Cano and Queros for Kluksiang, which is near the scene of the reported trouble.

PERSIA FEARS FOR COUNTRY'S UNITY

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 27.—A telegram from Tehran indicates that considerable interest in manifested in Persia at the possibility of an Anglo-Russian understanding. The Berlin papers warn the government that it would result in the partition of Persia and as a means of combating such an outcome they urge the immediate introduction of State reforms modeled on the British constitution.

MADAME HEINK WINS IN COURT

DRESDEN, Feb. 27.—The courts here have decided that the three elder sons of Madame Schumann Heink, the singer, shall be permitted to accompany her to America in April and have also awarded her the fortune of her late husband, Herr Heink, on the ground that it was earned by her.

TAKES TWO ATTEMPTS TO END LIFE

SECOND TRY AT SUICIDE HAS SUCCESSFUL ENDING.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27.—S. W. Kahrow, a tailor, residing at 133 Valencia street, committed suicide shortly after noon today at the Jackson street wharf by taking carbolic acid.

He was removed to the Harbor Hospital, where he died ten minutes later. Kahrow first endeavored to end his life by jumping from the wharf into the waters of the bay, but was restrained by the intervention of passers-by, who grasped him as he was about to jump. As soon as he was left alone, however, he swallowed a large quantity of carbolic acid and was soon beyond hope. No reason is known for his act.

CHARGES OF GRAFT ARE MADE TO JURY

CITY OFFICIALS AND MINISTER TELL THEIR STORIES.

The Rev. Robert Whitaker, pastor of the Twenty-third Avenue Baptist Church, was a witness before the Grand Jury this morning, and was queried by the inquisitorial body in regard to his charges of wholesale graft at work in this city.

With him, and waiting for his examination to be finished, were Mayor Frank K. Mott, City Attorney J. E. McElroy and City Engineer Turner, composing the Police Commission; Former Chief of Police Hodgkins and Mrs. M. L. Harrison, who, some time ago, was arrested in connection with the death of a Mrs. Bloth, whose death, it was charged, was due to an operation performed by Mrs. Harrison.

CHARGE MADE.

At the time of the arrest of Mrs. Harrison she made certain sensational allegations in which she charged that Chief of Police Hodgkins had demanded \$1000 of her in order to suppress the charge of murder against her.

Her different stories of the transaction, in some of which she stated that the money had been paid to Hodgkins, while in others she said that no one ever could get any money out of her, were investigated by the Police Commissioners.

After the questioning of Mayor Mott by the Grand Jury in regard to how much of an investigation had been made by that body, Police Commis-

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FOOTPADS BEAT AND CHLOROFORM MONEYLENDER



JAMES H. EDELEN, a money lender, living at 1376 Webster street, who has told the police that he was attacked by two footpads and robbed of \$307.50 in money and a diamond ring. He alleges that chloroform was used to make him helpless.

James H. Edelen Has a Remarkable Experience—Police Make an Important Find.

Where is James H. Edelen's "stock" of gold? Mr. Edelen is a money broker, doing business at 1782 1/2 Seventh street. He says that \$307.50, mostly in gold, and a diamond ring worth \$90, were subtracted from his person by two footpads last evening as he approached his residence at 1376 Webster street. The robbers, he says, battered him up and subdued him with chloroform. Captain Petersen, who took up the case today, told Edelen to his face that the story was "fishy," and didn't hang together.

TELLS HIS STORY.

Edelen lives in the boarding-house of Mrs. Buckley. Last evening at 6:30, he says, and this part of the story is corroborated by Mrs. Buckley, two Italians from Emeryville called to pay installments on money they had borrowed. Edelen put the money in his pocketbook and later went to the Bell Theater. "On my way home," he says, "as I came in front of the home of Chester Deering, 1358 Webster street, I saw two young men walking slowly in front."

THE ATTACK.

"Becoming suspicious I reached for my pocketbook, intending to toss it on the lawn near by, but before I could do so, one of the men turned and pinioned me."

"The other seized me by the throat and struck me in the stomach. Then one of them pressed a handkerchief containing chloroform over my face and I became unconscious. I was then robbed."

HEARD HIS CRIES.

One of the members of the Deering family, hearing the cries of Edelen when he was assailed by the footpads, hastened to the telephone and notified the police of the robbery, and Sergeant Henderson and Patrolman Kyle hurried to the scene, but by the time they arrived the robbers had disappeared. After a short search the officers found Edelen, still very much dazed from the effects of the chloroform, making his way to his home, and he, not knowing that the robbery had already been reported to the police, informed them that he was the victim of the footpads, and told them of his loss.

Henderson and Kyle made a careful search for the holdup men, but were unable to find any trace of them. So sudden was the assault on Edelen that he did not see the face of either of his assailants, and was not able to give a good description of them.

Edelen says he does not suspect the men who paid him money last night, but does think that the footpads overheard the Italians say they were going to make the payments; that they

followed the Italians and saw the transaction through the window of the Buckley house, then lay in wait for him when he came home later.

SAW THE MEN.

I. N. Dahlman, who also lives in the Buckley house, says he was returning about 9:15 last evening when he saw two men skulking along near the Deering house. He heard one of them say: "He's too tall; cut it out." Dahlman is a few inches taller than Edelen. It was about twenty minutes later that Edelen says the holdup occurred.

This morning Captain Petersen accompanied Edelen to the scene and examined the ground. Then the officer declared that the story did not sound true to him. There were numerous abrasions in the grass on the Deering lawn, but not enough to satisfy Petersen.

PETERSEN SUSPICIOUS.

"If there had been such a struggle as you describe," he said to Edelen, "this sod would have been all dug up with heel marks. There isn't such a mark here. Besides the story you told me doesn't sound right. If one of the men was pinioning you as you described, how could the other one catch you by the throat and hit you in the stomach?"

CHLOROFORM STORY.

"And then, if you had known anything about chloroform, you wouldn't have put that part in your story. Footpads don't use chloroform in the open air, and couldn't get you under its effects if you resisted. There are plenty of ways they could have put you out of business without doing that."

"No, sir; I can't believe your story, and I think that if you lost your money it was in some other way than this. However, I am going to make a complete investigation of this affair, and if I find you are telling the truth, I will apologize."

HOTLY REPLIES.

Edelen declared hotly that he had told just what occurred, and if there were discrepancies in his details it was

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SUICIDE IS DUE TO A DEADLY DRUG

MURDER THEORY IN BERKELEY CASE NOT PROVEN.

City Chemist Rowe at noon today completed his analysis of the stomach of the unknown man who committed suicide on Grove street in Berkeley last Thursday, and found that a large quantity of morphine had been taken a short while before death. It was expected that the presence of cyanide of potassium would be found in the stomach, but Dr. Rowe says it is unmistakably a case of morphine poisoning.

HAD NO FOOD.

The stomach also showed that no food had been taken for at least twenty-four hours preceding death.

From the letters and the photograph of a beautiful young woman found on the person of the deceased, the first surmise was that the young man had taken his life because of a hopeless and forlorn love.

The fact that the stomach was empty is taken as evidence that poverty may have been eating at the heart of the despondent lover, as well as the bitterness of unrequited love.

CLEWS LACKING.

There has been little discovered which would give a clue to the identity of the deceased and after the inquest it is probable that the remains will be interred at the expense of the county.

The morgue officials in Berkeley have received two letters relative to the suicide, but little in the way of definite information is conveyed.

The second letter was from Alameda asking the Elks of Berkeley to give the unknown a decent and Christian burial. It was requested that the express wish of the deceased that his body be turned over to the medical department of the University of California be not complied with. An amulet, with a pictorial representation of Christ, was enclosed in the letter with the request that it be put around the neck of the dead man. Neither the coroner nor the police attach importance to the missives.

The landlady at the corner of Thirteenth and Clay streets can throw no light on the mystery.

WILL INVESTIGATE THE KILLING

BOISE, Idaho, Feb. 27.—The Grand Jury at Caldwell will begin its investigation of the Steunenberg assassination on Thursday. The Masonic Hall at Caldwell has been secured as the place for the jury's deliberations. This is a precautionary measure to prevent disclosures of the evidence brought out before the jury.

The rules of the State penitentiary have been relaxed somewhat to give the suspects in the Steunenberg case more liberty of action.

EDWIN FOSTER PASSES AWAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27.—Edwin J. Foster 60 years of age, former manager of the Grand Hotel, died this morning at his residence, 1284 Jackson street, after a week of suffering. A general breakdown was the cause.

Mr. Foster was the father of two grown daughters, one of whom is Mrs. Frank A. Leavitt, wife of State Senator Leavitt, and the other, Mrs. T. F. Scanlan. Mr. Foster was one of the most prominent and one of the most popular men in San Francisco. His father was formerly the owner of the old Cliff House. He was not a member of any fraternal order and was not a native son.

ROYAL WEDDING IN THE GERMAN CAPITAL

Duchess Sophie of Oldenburg Is the Bride of Son of Emperor William.

 BERLIN, Feb. 27.—The Duchess Sophie Charlotte of Oldenburg, daughter of the reigning Grand Duke of Oldenburg by his first marriage with Princess Elizabeth of Prussia, and Prince Eitel Frederick, the second son of the Emperor and Empress, were married at 5 o'clock this afternoon in the chapel of the palace by the court chaplain, Dr. Dryander. Rain was falling on the chapel dome, but the inside was lit by hundreds of candles, showing the delicate costumes of the bride and groom, and the uniforms of about 500 persons belonging to the royal families of Germany or the principal nobility, the cabinet ministers and a number of generals and admirals. Ambassador Tower and Mrs. Tower were present in the diplomatic circle.

DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES.

In the diplomatic circle were Lieutenant Commander William L. Howard, the naval attaché, Mrs. Howard and Miss Howard; Captain S. Bidder, the military attaché, and Mrs. Bidder; Third Secretary Nelson O'Shaughnessy and Mrs. O'Shaughnessy, and Second Secretary John W. Garrett.

CIVIL CEREMONY.

The civil ceremony had previously taken place in the presence of the imperial family alone, in the electors' chamber, while the other guests were gathered in the chapel. The Empress placed the princess' crown of green velvet and diamonds, and a wreath of fresh myrtle upon the head of the princess. Her Majesty, who also wore a wreath of myrtle, and the bride were both dressed in pearl white silks. The train of the bride, which was four yards in length, was embroidered with silver roses.

DUCHESS SOPHIE.

The Duchess Sophie, with pages bearing her train, entered the chapel upon the arm of Prince Eitel, and he changed at the altar from her left to her right. They were followed by the Emperor and Grand Duchess of Oldenburg, the Empress and the Grand Duke of Oldenburg, and others of the two families. The Emperor and all the congregation except the bride and groom, remained in the chapel.

BEAUTY OF MARRIED LIFE.

Dr. Dryander, chaplain of the bride.

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bloners McElroy and Turner were both excused from further attendance.

PASTOR'S CHARGES.

Rev. Robert Whitaker kept up the same silence on the matters he says that were told to him in confidence as he did before the City Council when that body devoted several evenings to questioning him in regard to the charges he had made from the pulpit of his church. He declined to state how far he had gone into his revelations concerning this modern Sodom, but said:

"I did tell the Grand Jury some more than I told the City Council. But I could not tell them matters which had been told me by reason of the fact of my being a minister."

"Such matters I consider are sacred, and even if I had succeeded in having these matters investigated by a special committee, which I was anxious to have done, I could only have put that committee in the way of getting the information without revealing the source of my information."

FORMER CHIEF.

In speaking in regard to his being subpoenaed as a witness, Former Chief Hodgkins said: "This is the first time

and groom dwelt upon the beauty of married life and the joys of home. Then, turning to the Emperor and Empress, the chaplain alluded to their home happiness. The responses of the prince and princess were clearly spoken.

Dr. Dryander gave the prince a large Bible which he had difficulty in holding under his arm and the Emperor, the Empress, the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess kissed both the bride and groom, dwelt upon the beauty of the bride's hand and shook that of the prince.

The imperial party passed out of the chapel and the reception of the court followed in the White Hall, after which the guests sat down to supper.

TORCH DANCE.

The "torch dance," an immemorial German custom, began at 8 o'clock. Instead of torches, candles three feet tall were held aloft by two in advance of the imperial party, who walked around the vast hall room bowing to the 1500 or so members of the court, who were massed on three sides of the hall. The bride took the Emperor and all the guests according to precedence, around the apartment, and Prince Eitel escorted the Empress and all the other ladies of the imperial family in turn around the hall. There was a time when the torches were held by the greatest personages of state in this dance, but the custom had not been observed since the wedding of the late Prince Eitel, when for the first time, lackeys carried the torches.

I was ever before the Grand Jury in regard to anything concerning myself, but as long as the matter has been brought up I am glad that a body has hold of this matter who has the authority to get to the bottom of the facts.

"Mrs. Harrison never made her charges good before the Police Commission, and would not attend to give her testimony. She has told many stories, and she must now fix upon one and under oath tell what she has to say. I can prove with very little trouble that the things she has voiced could not have happened and never had any foundation, in fact."

'WOMAN'S STORY.

Mrs. Harrison when interrogated in regard to the matter said: "I don't know this man Whitaker, and I don't see why I should be brought down here. When it was suggested that the Broth matter was under investigation she said, 'Well, when I am under oath I shall tell what I know about the matter. I wish I could get excused, as I don't think that there is anything that I can tell them that will do them any good.'"

She was before the Grand Jury for a considerable length of time, and her connection in the entire business was gone into at length, and at the noon hour she was still a witness and may be subpoenaed as a witness at the next sitting.

DOCTOR SUMMONED.

Dr. C. H. Wilder, who was also connected in an affair of the same character, in which a Mrs. Matthews died from the effects of an operation performed by a doctor in San Francisco, but which Dr. Wilder is said to have taken charge of, making out a death

BURNED DRESSES

How W. S. Smith Man- aged to Annoy His Wife.

Charging that her husband had often struck and beaten her, Elizabeth E. Smith has begun divorce proceedings against William S. Smith, a butcher. She says that while they were living at 41 Clinton Park in San Francisco, in 1901, he struck her on the head with the handle of a knife and knocked her down, and tried to choke her.

At their home at 909 Tennessee street in June 1903, he struck her and burned up a satin waist which had been given her by her employer. He also called her many vile names.

SENT TO FOLSOM FOR TEN YEARS

Hui Wing, the Chinese charged with having shot Kang Hung, was convicted by a jury and sentenced to ten years at Folsom by Judge Harris. It was shown that the shooting had occurred at the place of business of Kang Hung at 202 Eighth street and was the outcome of a bet that he would kill him.

MINISTERS HEAR JUDGE AND DISCUSS FIGHT

At its regular monthly business meeting and banquet at the Albany last evening the Ministerial Union had the pleasure of listening to the Honorable Judge Waste concerning the organization and procedure of the juvenile court. At the close of the address a committee was appointed to meet the Mayor and the Board of Public Works to find out if measures cannot be taken immediately to obliterate such exhibitions as the recent one before the West Oakland Athletic Club.

WILL TRY TO PREVENT A STRIKE

PITTSBURG, Feb. 27.—Acting upon the advice of President Roosevelt, Francis L. Robbins, leader of the bituminous coal operators, has called a conference of the operators for tomorrow in an endeavor to arrange some means for preventing a strike of the bituminous coal miners.

THOUGHT HE BROKE A ROW OF RIBS

J. Brown, a teamster of 1401 Broadway, slipped and was mounting on his seat in his wagon, this morning and fell on the wheel in such a way that he believed his ribs had been crushed. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital where an examination was made which resulted however in finding that there were no bones broken and that he was suffering only from bruises.

LIEUTENANT METCALF ARRIVES IN OAKLAND

Lieutenant Victor N. Metcalf, son of Secretary Victor H. Metcalf, arrived in Oakland this morning and spent a few hours with relatives. He left for the South, where he will join the Solanco. Lieutenant Metcalf recently graduated from Annapolis.

BALFOUR MUST REMAIN AT HOME

LONDON, Feb. 27.—The bye-election in the city of London division to decide whether or not former Premier Balfour shall return immediately to Parliament has been robbed of much of its expected excitement by the illness of Mr. Balfour, whose doctor has ordered him to remain in bed.

Mr. Balfour's health has not been satisfactory for some time, and is complicated by weakness of the heart. Yesterday evening after a meeting in the city he suffered from an over-tired condition on the part of the great crowd of people who desired to shake hands with him. Exhaustion led to a chill and the doctor temporarily canceled all the former Premier's engagements. The result of the election will be announced today.

CONCESSIONS FOR FRENCH GOVERNMENT

ALGERIAS, Spain, Feb. 27.—Sidi Mohammed el Mokri, the second Moroccan delegate, has caused considerable excitement by the disclosure that concessions for harbor improvements at Casa Blanca and Saffi, two leading Atlantic ports of Morocco, were given to the Caspary (French) company at the same time that the Germans secured a concession for harbor improvements at Tangier.

CLOSE UP BUSINESS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Receiver E. C. Day, who yesterday was placed in charge of the Cash Buyers' Union First National Co-operative Society, gave orders today to close up the business of the concern. The Receiver announced that he had by a hasty examination come to the conclusion that there are goods in the hands of the company valued at \$250,000. The liabilities consist of debts to about 1100 merchants in all parts of the country and approximately \$250,000.

MURDER CHARGE

Sheriff Is Trying to Un- ravel Mystery Among Miners.

COPPEROPOLIS, Cal., Feb. 27.—A mysterious tragedy was revealed yesterday when two Austrian miners, Steve Novak and M. Bottello, were found in a bunkhouse of the Union Copper Company, the former dead and the latter seriously wounded. Novak, with three bullets in his head, was lying in a bunk although he had been shot while asleep. Bottello was a few feet distant on the floor with a bullet hole in his neck and a revolver by his side with four chambers empty. The fifth cartridge having failed to explode, Bottello will probably recover. Four hundred dollars was found upon the body of Novak and upon a search of Bottello by the sheriff \$300 was found upon his person. Bottello was taken to San Andreas by the sheriff, a coroner's jury having charged him with the crime of murder.

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because he couldn't remember all the incidents of such a strenuous experience. After the captain left he said to a reporter: "That fellow is trying to make me out a liar to shield the police force that doesn't catch these robbers. I have told the truth, and it's up to the police to do something."

Mrs. Buckley, Edelen's landlady, pointed out that the entire block on which she lives is without a street light, and several large palms on lawns afford convenient lurking places for holdup men after dark.

FIND RING.

Detective Holland went to the scene of the holdup this morning and found a purse containing the missing diamond ring and also an empty chloroform bottle. These articles had been thrown back of a fence. The finding of the articles verifies Edelen's story.

PASSENGERS HAVE LIGHT REFRESHMENTS

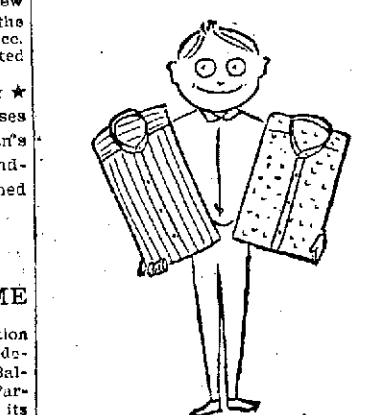
ST. LOUIS, Feb. 27.—A trolley car containing twenty-four passengers was struck in a snow drift from yesterday noon until early this morning half way between this city and Clayton, and two loaves of bread and a basketful of eggs comprised all the refreshment the marooned passengers had. The car was rescued by a snow plow this morning, apparently but little the worse for their experience.

GIRL DIES AFTER SPELL OF SNEEZING

CINCINNATI, Feb. 27.—Death came to Jessie Cole, daughter of Stephen Cole of Bloomingsburg, yesterday after a spell of sneezing which lasted ten hours. A physician's efforts to check the sneezing were of no avail. The breaking of a blood vessel ensued.

IMPROVEMENT CLUB.

The Central Oakland Improvement Club will meet at 4000 Telegraph avenue, tomorrow, Wednesday evening, February 28th. Very important business will come before the club, and a full attendance is requested.



Willie and the New Spring Shirts

See those patterns I am holding in my hand? A couple of shirts from a new lot we placed on sale yesterday—price \$1.15. Talk about rush—did you see the Novelty Theater last night? People couldn't get in the doorway, let alone get inside and all on account of PHROSO. We are going to have "it" in our middle window Wednesday afternoon from 4:30 to 5:30. PHROSO will remain in the window full 30 minutes, so if you want to see the great mystery of the age, you come down to the store about 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, February 28th, and WILLIE will show you a stunt that is a corker—nothing is too good for our displays and PHROSO is surely the limit when it comes to mysteries. Send for a reserved seat, I have four left right on the sidewalk curb.

C. J. HESEMAN

1107-1113 Washington Street

Skates Good strong ones on sale in Bazaar at 65c

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OAKLAND'S MOST POPULAR STORE

Every eye is turned to Wednesday's BIG EMBROIDERY SALE.

QUARTER-CENTURY SALE

The Ladies' Home Journal patterns for March are here; also the Spring, 1906, Quarterly Edition of the LADIES' HOME JOURNAL STYLE BOOK, and are on sale in our Pattern Department, at 25c each. This book with its color plates is more gorgeously planned than ever before, and is very essential to DRESS MAKERS and all women of style. We have but a LIMITED NUMBER of the STYLE BOOK. If you want one do not defer too long.

The Largest SALE of EMBROIDERIES

of the year, perhaps the largest ever known in Oakland, begins Wednesday morning in our bargain circle; dainty needle work on Swiss, Valenciennes and Cambric in Edgings, Insertings and Beadings with designs of Mexican and Teneriffe wheel and blind stitch work, in narrow, medium and corset cover widths. Six special lots at

5c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c

The big Washington street window represents a fair idea of what we are doing in fine embroideries.

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THEN THE GREAT \$60.00 IMPERIAL RANGE GOES TO ITS PROPER OWNER.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, SOME DISINTERESTED PERSON HAVING NO CONNECTION WITH JACKSON FURNITURE CO. WHATEVER, AND NOT PARTICIPATING IN THIS CONTEST, WHOSE NAME SUBSEQUENTLY WILL BE PUBLISHED IN DAILY PAPERS, WILL DRAW THE LUCKY NUMBER FROM A RE-CEPTACLE, HAVING ALL NUMBERS THEREIN. THE WINNER'S NAME AND ADDRESS WILL BE PUBLISHED IN MARCH 1 DAILY PAPERS

COUPONS TO BE ISSUED UNTIL 5 O'CLOCK WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON. YOU STILL HAVE JUST AS GOOD A CHANCE TO WIN THE CELEBRATED \$60.00 RANGE AS ANY ONE.

FOR EVERY \$5 PURCHASE OF FURNITURE, CARPETS, DRAPERIES OR STOVES, YOU ARE ENTITLED TO ONE CHANCE ON THIS \$60.00 IMPERIAL RANGE.

Watch papers of March 1 for announcement of new goods that have arrived.

Jackson Furniture Co.

619-525 12th St. 518-520 11th St.

GIRLS' DREAM IS SHATTERED

LEFT HOME TO BECOME FOOT-LIGHT STARS BUT COULDN'T MANAGE IT.

Two young girls—Mary Pimental of 215 Hollis street, 16 years of age, and Theresa Gomez, 237 Louisa street, 15 years of age—left their homes last Saturday night to seek fame in theatrical careers. Entirely disillusioned, they were brought to the city prison last night, whence their respective parents took them home.

When their flight was first discovered an elopement was the explanation offered, but all the young men in the neighborhood being on hand and ready to account for themselves, other reasons were sought.

The girls, who are employed in the flax mills, went to work as usual on Saturday morning, but under their ordinary garb they wore their best clothes. When pay envelopes were distributed at the mill, the girls slipped away and, doffing their outer everyday garments, took the train for San Francisco, arrayed in their best. The city was not productive of good openings for unknown stars, though the girls tried all the theaters. Detective Kyte, who was detailed on the case, found the girls in a lodging house, where they had taken a room. Kyte brought them to Oakland and communicated with their parents, who took the embryo actresses home.

QUICKER SERVICE FOR ALAMEDA

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27.—If the Southern Pacific can secure an additional ferryboat, of which it now finds itself sadly in need, its promised twenty-minute service to Alameda will be inaugurated in the near future. When the company inaugurated its twenty-minute service to Oakland last year it announced that an equal service would be given to Alameda as soon as the

BERLIN WEDDING BRINGS HOLIDAY

BERLIN, Feb. 27.—The Bourse today was closed, a holiday having been declared owing to the wedding of Prince Eitel Frederick to the Duchess Sophie Charlotte of Oldenburg.

TACOMA SAILS.

GIBRALTAR, Feb. 27.—The United States cruiser Tacoma sailed for Las Palmas, Canary Islands, today to join the drydock Dewey.

EDDIE SMITH REFEREE.

Eddie Smith, sporting editor of the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, and the State's most popular referee, will journey to Sacramento tonight to judge the contest between Snajham and Crowe.

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POLICE OFFICERS ARE UNDER FIRE

Accused of Having Taken Part in the Killing of a Frenchman.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—An unusual situation, temporarily overshadowing the trial of the case, confronted the court and jury when the trial of Berthe Blanche, for the murder of Emil Gertrude, was resumed in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court today.

This was the inquiry into the part which certain policemen are alleged to have had in Gertrude's death.

Changes were made at the opening of the trial yesterday by Assistant District Attorney Ely, that two members of the police force added the girl in her dead and premeditated murder. The largest part of the opening

day was spent investigating this phase. Mr. Ely went out evidence that a letter was sent to Gertrude before his death and that after it was reported to have been stolen from the body. Although he obtained no evidence to show who wrote the letter or took the money, the prosecutor charged that policemen were responsible in both cases, and by the letter Gertrude was lured to the place where he was shot. Berthe Blanche herself apparently had only a minor part in the first day's proceedings except as a spectator. She frequently appeared to be greatly agitated, especially during the prosecutor's arraignment of the policemen.

ADMITTS PERJURY TELLS OF MONEY

Witness Declares That He Falsified on Stand. Cromwell Declares He Secured a Large Sum for Services.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Joseph Jordan, one of the Texas witnesses who has given testimony in the hearing for a new trial to Albert T. Patrick, convicted murderer, has confessed that he committed perjury on the witness stand, according to an announcement made by District Attorney Jerome today.

The announcement was made to Recorder Goff when the hearing was resumed.

Jordan was arrested last night upon the perjury charge.

The District Attorney told Recorder Goff that Jordan sent for him and voluntarily made a confession in the presence of himself and Assistant District Attorney Garvin. The particular point upon which the perjury charge was made was Jordan's denial on the stand that he had served a term of imprisonment at Huntsville, Texas, in his confessions to the District Attorney said today Jordan admitted that he did serve a term at Huntsville.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The examination of William Nelson Cromwell resumed today by the Senate Committee on Intercommerce Canals after a brief executive session to determine the scope of the inquiry. Senator Morgan put into the record a letter written by Mr. Cromwell to Mr. Wallace, arranging for the interview which took place at the Hotel Manhattan in New York, when Mr. Wallace informed Secretary Taft of his desire to resign his position as chief engineer.

Mr. Morgan took charge of the examination and demanded to know of Mr. Cromwell what payments had been made to him from the new Panama Canal Company. Mr. Cromwell asserted that the information demanded was of a confidential character and involved the relations of counsel and client.

Sensor Morgan insisted, and many sharp passages ensued. Finally Mr. Cromwell said that while he did not think it his business as the Senators making the inquiry, he would state that the total payments made to him would not exceed \$200,000. "That was all he had received out of the \$400,000 paid by this government," he added, "but he had not rendered his account for services. He said he had plenty of money of his own and had not had time to go to Paris to see the company. He declared that this (meaning hearing) was the first vacation he had had in ten months. He declared that there had been no understanding as to the amount he was to receive."

THE STAR SISTERS AT THE EMPIRE THEATER

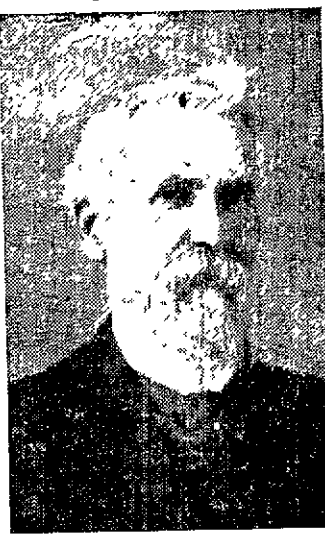
There were many in attendance at the Empire Theater last evening. They went to this popular place of amusement to see the Star sisters two young Oakland girls who are making their mark on the vaudeville stage. Both young ladies are blessed with good looks and possessed of considerable ability as dancers. They have returned from a successful engagement in the principal coast cities including San Francisco. Their many friends were on hand last night to give them a hearty welcome upon their return to their native city. They have improved wonderfully since seen here last. Their career before the footlights is a bright one for these two clever little song and dance artists.

FELTON TO RESIGN FROM PRISON BOARD

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27.—The appointment of a new warden for San Quentin prison seems to have failed to bring about harmony between the executive officers of that institution and the State Board of Prison Directors. It is rumored that Senator Charles N. Felton is ready to relinquish his directorship, and that his resignation will soon be in the hands of the Governor.

DR. LOOMIS

In the death of Dr. W. H. Loomis, which occurred February 9th, the whole community has met with a great loss. The doctor was one of those sympathetic natures who must respond to every distress, no matter at what discomfort to himself. He has lived a busy life in Alameda and Alameda county for the last 25 years. Of late his home has been in East Oakland, and he was a familiar figure driving over the streets intent on the relief of some suffering humanity. His early life was spent in his native State, Wis-



THE LATE DR. W. H. LOOMIS.

consin, but the breaking out of the Civil War took him to the front, where he served as assistant paymaster, being at Memphis, New Orleans and other cities of the South.

In 1864 he was married to Miss Hattie C. Wheeler of Akron, Ohio. They made their home in Milwaukee and Fond du Lac, until he felt called to attend the Henneman Medical College in Chicago, of which he was an honored graduate. After two years' practice in Illinois he came to California and cast his lot with those of this coast.

The sick and ailing always found in him a friend whose heart was always responsive in sympathy and love. In his immediate family afflictions gathered. Last June, his only daughter was taken suddenly to her long home, and in early December his invalid wife was laid in her last resting place.

Dr. Loomis' death was caused by a sudden and severe hemorrhage, and he passed quietly to his reward, peacefully and gladly. His relatives deeply mourn his loss, but rejoice that he has gone to his reward.

INJURIES RESULT IN MAN'S DEATH

Michael O'Brien, aged 50 years, and employed by the St. Mary's College, was struck by a College avenue car last night at the corner of Twenty-ninth and Broadway and received injuries from which he died at 5 o'clock in the Providence Hospital. The victim after being struck fell directly in front of the car and was ground and mangled before the motorman could apply the brakes.

The accident occurred within a few feet of the Providence Hospital. The victim was at once taken to the institution where Dr. G. G. Reineke did all in his power to save the man's life. The arms, legs and other portions of the body were terribly crushed, however, and there was little hope of saving him.

O'Brien was with a companion when he was struck. Both men waited for a car to pass and stepped directly in front of another car coming in the opposite direction.

DR. HYDE'S LECTURE.

At the Macdonough Theater on March 1, Dr. Douglas Hyde will bring his audience back to the awakening of the Irish people to regain their language and freedom. The sale of tickets has been very large as indicated by the demand for reserved seats at M. J. Kelly's store where they are secured. The St. Mary's College orchestra has very kindly offered its services for the occasion.

BANK COMMISSIONER.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27.—A spirited effort is being made by influential men to get Governor Pardee to appoint "Bob" Woodward to the vacant bank commissioner's office. Woodward is the son of the famous Woodward family, and he has a great many friends in the financial district.

FINED FOR DISTURBANCE.

W. J. Balaskey was fined by Police Judge Smith this morning on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

FRESH GROCERIES

Fancy Assorted Cakes, regularly 20c lb. 12c
Apricots in heavy syrup regularly 12c 10c
Soda Crackers, regularly 25c box 15c
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Tailor-made in gray, brown, blues and reds. Eton effects; cheaply priced—\$10.50, \$13.50 and \$15.00.

SHIRT WAISTS of Taffeta Silk, black, brown, green and blue; worth up to \$7.50 SPECIAL \$2.50.

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ASSEMBLY TO MEET

Czar Will Call Representatives Together on May 10.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 27.—The ukase convoking the national assembly for May 10, which was issued against the desires of the reactionary element at court, has been followed by further strong evidence that the Emperor has wrenched himself free from the old influences. Setting at naught the opinion of the council of the empire, his majesty has rejected the proposed law providing for the extension of the trial by court-martial for political offenses to all parts of the empire, which was the cause of Mr. Timiriazoff leaving the cabinet and accepting the view of the minority that there is no justification for such a law in a constitutional state during elections to parliament. The Emperor also rejected the proposal authorizing the troops to fire if "they are insulted" and forbidding the firing of volleys of blank cartridges during street disturbances.

With the Russian press which seems unable to give the government credit for any sincerity or good intentions, receives the national assembly ukase with coolness—even with distrust. The Novoye Vremya today heads its issue with the title of the convocation, in poster type extending across the first page, and declares it will be the day of the rejuvenation of the country which Russians will hail with great gladness. The Novoye Vremya comments dubiously on the announcement, but admits it is now quite probable that the national assembly will meet.

The Russ, which has been industriously attacking the government for the delay in the convocation of the assembly, now changes front and blames the ministry for convoking it without full representation and declares the ukase will not cause any satisfaction because the national assembly, although an elective assembly, is not representative as elements of the population which are apt to criticize it, are actually excluded. The Russ also is indignant at the government for convoking the assembly too hastily.

ROOSEVELT TO THE U. S. SOLDIERS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—President Roosevelt has addressed to the Secretary of War, who has promulgated the same in a general order, a letter reciting the achievements of the Japanese Admiral Togo during the late war between Japan and Russia, and repeating for the benefit of American soldiers and sailors the address issued by the Admiral upon his conquest of the war. The President's letter is the necessity of keeping the personnel of the army and navy at the highest possible pitch in time of peace in order to be prepared for war.

TO GIVE BANQUET FOR REPUBLICANS

John G. Herr is going to tender a banquet to the members of the Republican City Central Committee of Oakland, Wednesday evening, March 14th at his residence, 1272 Webster street. Mayor Frank E. Mott will be the special guest of honor, and the committeemen are looking with pleasurable anticipation towards the date set as they realize a good time is in store for them when Mr. Herr is host.

COLONEL ROBINSON UNDER INDICTMENT

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27.—Colonel T. P. Robinson, former baseball magnate, and for the past three years business agent of the Brown & Power Company in that printing concern dealing with the special guest of honor, the Grand Jury last night for an attempted fraud upon the city. He is accused of having presented a false bill for \$10,000 for goods never delivered. The offense charged is a felony.

FIXING OF RATES IS POSTPONED

The Committee of the Whole of the City Council last night postponed the hearing of the evidence in fixing the water rate until next Thursday evening. The hearing was to have taken place last night, but this did not suit the convenience of the Councilmen.

JUMPED TO DEATH

Man Overturns a Lamp and Sets Hotel on Fire.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 27.—While laboring under intense mental excitement, P. T. Hughes, aged 25, from Lincoln, Neb., overturned a lamp in his room on the third floor of the Comfort Hotel today. A fire was started and Hughes and J. A. Courtney, 55 years old, superintendent of construction at the Missouri Pacific Hospital, who also occupied a third-floor room, jumped from windows to escape the flames. The each suffered a fracture of their skulls. Both are in a critical condition.

POLICEMAN WOODS HURT BY RUNAWAY

Policeman William Woods, stationed at the corner of Fourteenth and Broadway street, while attempting to stop a runaway horse last night, was thrown to the ground and seriously hurt. He suffered a fracture of the left wrist and also sustained other injuries of a minor character. The animal had a loose rope around its neck. Woods made a grab at the bridle of the horse, but failed to catch it. A rope that was dragging on the ground caught the policeman, throwing him violently to the pavement. In trying to protect himself in the fall Woods' left wrist was badly fractured. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital where Dr. O. D. Hamilton set the injured member. The policeman was then removed to the Providence Hospital where he is now under treatment.

MRS. NELLIE CRANE DIES SUDDENLY

Mrs. Nellie Crane, the divorced wife of former County Clerk James E. Crane, dropped dead last night at the corner of Broadway and Fourteenth street. Apoplexy is supposed to be the cause of the death. Mrs. Crane was waiting at the corner for a car. She was seen to stagger by Deputy Constable Green. He caught her before she fell to the sidewalk, but death was almost instantaneous.

She was carried to the office of Dr. E. M. Patterson, 1205 Broadway, but life was extinct. The remains were removed to the morgue where Coroner McCharm will hold an inquest. The deceased leaves two daughters and a stepson.

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Second race—Merry-Go-Round, Lord Nelson, Cockburn.

Third race—Alice Carey, The Reprobate, My Order.

Fourth race—Briers, Dusty Miller, Yellowstone.

Fifth race—Robert, Judge, Margi Lee.

Sixth race—Deutschland, Daniel, Tocolaw.

First race—Four and a half furlongs; purse, two-year-olds. Wt. Index. Horse.

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PERSON leaving State would sell furniture, carpets, gas range, sewing machine, tables, etc. 600 6th st.

YOUNG man of English parentage wants position at private place, handy with horses; good milkman. Address F. D. Evans, New-House, Contra Costa Co., Washington streets and Seventh and Broadway.

WANTED—A girl for general housework in family; wages \$25. 60 1/2 11th st. Oakland.

FURNISHED, a fine 5-room cottage 15 578 22d st.; nice yard; lease.

A GOOD reliable woman wishes position as cook and general housework, willing and obliging. Box 105, Tribune office.

GENTLEMAN for room and board; very reasonable. The Dundas Apartment, 1. 17th and San Pablo.

MISS HANSEN. 464 11th St. Phone Oakland 2108. Cook; 12 people Berkeley; \$25. 4 Girls, general work; 1 Swedish; \$25. 1 Second girl; small family; \$20. 6 Good house girls; \$25. 4 A. I. colored girls; \$25 to \$30. 2 Swedish; 1 adult; 12 wash; \$25. Young girl; 2 family; room home; \$18. Plain cook; 4 in family; \$25. Woman; plain cook; no wash; \$25. Girl or woman; 8 family; \$25. Middle-aged woman; 2 family; \$25. Elderly woman; assist; \$12. Young girl; care of child; \$10.

For Other Ads Too Late for Classification See Page 5

CHANGE IN PRICES OF VICTOR Talking Machines

Sherman, Clay & Co., as Pacific Coast Distributors, are instructed by the Victor Talking Machine Co. to announce that the following prices of Victor Talking Machines are to go into effect this date throughout the Pacific Coast:

Victor Z.....	\$ 17.00	Victor III.....	\$ 40.00
Victor I.....	22.00	Victor Monarch Special.....	45.00
Victor Monarch Jr.....	25.00	Victor IV.....	50.00
Victor II.....	30.00	Victor V.....	60.00
Victor Monarch.....	35.00	Victor VI.....	100.00

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MIZNER AND BRIDE KISS PLEASANTON HOP COMPANY AND MAKE UP SUES SPRING VALLEY

Millionaire's Widow Tells of a Deep, Dark Conspiracy of a Separation. Wants Corporation Enjoined From Diverting Water and Asks for \$100,000 Damages.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—It was a conspiracy to separate us, but it failed," said Mrs. Yerkes-Mizner last night in the Hotel Netherlands, as she sat looking lovingly into the big blue eyes of her athletic young husband at a little dinner she gave in that hotel where she had lived for several years with her first husband, Charles T. Yerkes.

"They told me all sorts of dreadful things about Wilton," she added, "and foolishly I created them until I had them investigated and found they were all false. Please don't say we are reconciled," she continued, "because we never were separated. We had a little quarrel, it is true, but I love him, and I have found out that he is not so black as he has been painted. Don't let any more of those unkind things be said about him."

With that Mrs. Yerkes-Mizner left the hotel with her husband and they were driven back in her automobile to her Fifth-avenue home, in which the couple had driven, about two hours before, to the hotel.

From a friend who was present at the dinner it was learned later that Mrs. Yerkes-Mizner had discovered in the scheme to separate her from her young husband one of the deepest and most desperate plots, involving millions of dollars in anything related in the weirdest romance.

ESTATE STILL GROWS.

"We are finding more money belonging to the estate every day," it is reported she said. "For example, only yesterday I discovered some keys to deposit vaults that had been hidden away by Mr. Yerkes. I am sure they will add millions to the value of the estate. Mr. Yerkes was a great man for doing things. He could put things in all sorts of odd corners. We have found clues to large sums in England and goodness knows how much more we shall find before we are through. It is lucky that, through the advice of Mr. Mizner, I consulted a distinguished lawyer before I had definitely decided to withdraw as trustee and executrix of Mrs. Yerkes' will."

"I had no idea when I listened to the advice of persons I believed to be my friends and half agreed to relinquish the duties of trustee, what it meant. Since then I have learned that it would have put me in a position where almost anything could have been done to the estate and I should have been powerless to intervene."

MIZNER SAVES WEALTH.

"I have not had much experience in the ways of the world and believed it would be better for me to withdraw as trustee and save myself all the trouble and annoyance and work that the office would entail on me. I was told that it meant only the signing away of one per cent. That conveyed no meaning to me and it was only when I asked the advice of my husband that it would mean at least \$75,000 a year, providing the estate was worth only \$100,000,000 and not \$50,000,000, as I believe."

"When I consulted one of the best lawyers in New York, who used to act for Mr. Yerkes. On his advice I revoked my decision to withdraw. I was only just in time. Two days more and I should have been out. I have had terrible experience. Three persons in Chicago, two here and one in Philadelphia have been nagging me and trying to persuade me to get out, but luckily I hesitated and withstood them all. I must, however, thank Wilton for that."

While his bride was giving this account of the little trouble between them Wilton Mizner sat with his face radiant. It was evident that both principals to the romance were delighted to be in each other's company. The bridegroom complimented the bride on her charming appearance in the simple attire she wore and she in turn made good-natured fun of him. At the conclusion of the little dinner they were driven away as happy as on the night they were wedded.

"That there has been a plot to separate them for the benefit of those who expected to profit from the estate seemed evident last night when it was learned that all manner of word and extraordinary expedients had been resorted to to keep them apart. By one who pretended to be Mrs. Mizner's best friend it was ascertained that she had been induced to swear on the Bible that

she would never permit Mizner to return to his home. In many ways it had been attempted to play upon her womanly fears, and but for her resort in the height of her terror to private detectives they might have succeeded.

FOES WORKED AT PLOT.

Scarcely had Mizner left the Yerkes mansion for his trip to Washington last week than his foes began to work out the plot that they had begun to hatch as soon as they realized the probability of the wedding. His departure was taken advantage of immediately. Persons in Chicago, who evidently were in close touch with some interests below the stairs in the Yerkes home, heard as quickly as Mizner could reach them that Mizner had left Thursday. Immediately they caused to be published in Chicago papers a rumbling story written in innuendo that Mizner and his bride had parted forever. Stories of tempestuous scenes following his alleged refusal to give \$1,000,000 to him were hinted at. Base reports were sent to Mrs. Yerkes and when she, in her bewilderment, seemed to give corroboration to them the enemies of Mizner, in their apparent triumph, piled her with more.

Men were sent from Chicago and other cities to see her and tell her of Mizner's plot and they related dreadful stories. Mrs. Mizner, too worried to go deeply into details or ask for proof, accepted the general statements as true.

In her heart, however, she believed in Mizner, and although she listened to the tales, she immediately communicated the stories to her husband. He advised her to investigate them herself. She did so, and found that the majority were entirely false and the remainder had so little basis that the actual truth redounded rather to Mizner's credit than to his harm.

SENT FOR MIZNER.

Then she yielded to the better impulses of her heart and sent for him. So the telephone and messenger on Sunday morning saw a cab driven up to the mansion at a little before 2 o'clock Monday morning. From it young Mizner was escorted to the steps of the palatial mansion and the doors were thrown wide in evident expectation of his coming. During the rest of the night and until 1 o'clock in the morning his cab remained outside the door. He was dismissed. Later in the day Mizner was seen to leave the house in another cab, and was absent until 7 o'clock last night, when he was driven back in another hansom. Mizner-Mizner, after his arrival, Mrs. Yerkes-Mizner's automobile drove up to the door and Mrs. Mizner and her husband were driven in it to the Hotel Netherlands.

From Mrs. Yerkes-Mizner it was learned late last night that she and Mizner will leave the city in a few days for Chicago, where she goes to attend to some duties in connection with the Yerkes will. She will be accompanied by a maid and several servants. Mizner-Mizner will take up their residence in the Fifth-avenue mansion as if nothing had ever interfered with their happiness.

HOME TELEPHONE'S PLAN RECOMMENDED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27.—The Board of Supervisors' Committee on Public Utilities yesterday filed a report formally recommending the granting of the Home Telephone Company's petition for an ordinance putting up for passage a franchise for the establishment of a competing telephone company in San Francisco.

This recommendation was signed by five of the seven members of the committee—Supervisors Sam Davis, James P. Kelly, Daniel G. Coleman, F. P. Nicholas and James L. Gallagher. It was not signed by Chairman Boxton or Supervisor McGushin.

W. J. Arkell, representing Eastern Bell, called to file notice that he will be on hand to bid for the franchise.

COMEDY PLEASES THE PATRONS AT LIBERTY.

The patrons of Ye Liberty Playhouse are enjoying comedy this week. "Because She Loved Him So," is the attraction that is pleasing people at the popular playhouse. George Friend is in the leading role and other leading players are Frank Bacon, George Bell, John Hovell, L. R. Connelley, John O'Hara, E. E. Esmond, Mina Gleason, Frances Slosson and Margaret Maclyn. The performance will be repeated every night this week, including a matinee Saturday and Sunday.

THE COUNTY CHAIRMAN.

That much-heralded play of George Ade's "The County Chairman," comes to the Macdonough Theater Monday and Tuesday, March 5th and 6th, with the endorsements of long runs in New York, Chicago, Boston and Philadelphia. It is such a quaint and truthful portrayal of life in the Middle West that it touches the heart strings of people who have grown up in this atmosphere. Mr. Ade's characters are works of close observation; the humor is restrained and wholesome and the type are presented without exaggeration or caricature. Seats on sale Thursday morning, March 1st, at 9 a. m.

BEAUTY AND BEAST.

"Sleeping Beauty and the Beast" will be the attraction at the Macdonough Theater next Friday and Saturday nights and Saturday matinee. The performance is a spectacular one and comes to Oakland before it goes to San Francisco next week. It is said that it is a magnificent performance.

Hair, properly raised once in two weeks, need never be shampooed unless one is traveling. The automobile girl must shampoo her hair very often. So must the girl golfer. But the woman of ordinary tastes need not to so often as once in three months. Other times she can just rinse it.

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STYLES of Ladies' Suits. They are really worth TALKING ABOUT. We never have shown such an elegant line of Cloaks and Suits as is shown in our Up-to-date Cloak and Suit House this season.

Our Spring Millinery is here. You are cordially invited to avail yourself of our liberal Credit System in this Department, as well as in all others.

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HUMAN HEAD "PHROSO" IS A WONDER MYSTERY

CONTRA COSTA AUTHORITIES MAY HAVE A MURDER TO SOLVE.

STEGER, Contra Costa county, Feb. 27.—Considerable interest has been aroused in the discovery of a head by a party of clam-diggers Sunday, near the beach at Steger, and searching parties are out in the vicinity of the Steuffer Chemical Company, making every effort to unravel the gruesome mystery.

Harry J. Coleman, one of the searching party, yesterday found among the debris left on the beach by the receding tide a comparatively new coat of good cut and fine texture lying near a new shoe within a few feet of the spot where the head was unearthed. The pockets of the coat were turned inside out.

Deputy Constable Ernest Navellier was at once notified of Coleman's discovery and took charge of the garment and shoe, both of which are in excellent condition and very little worn, and the authorities think it is unlikely they were discarded by the owner. This leads to the theory that the head was that of a murdered man and that the motive of the murder was robbery.

Many theories are advanced regarding the enigma and many of the townspeople declare that in their opinion the perpetrator of the crime was a criminal. They say that in the chemical works the majority of the employees are Italians. They come and go, and when they leave are lost to the knowledge of their companions. These Italians have their fences and their debts here as elsewhere. They retain their hatreds and their loves, and the townspeople declare, if one of their number was stabbed in the back, cutting the matter over some dark night and the body tossed in the bay, there to sink in the mud that lines the shore, who would be the wiser?

James Boyle, one of the party of clam-diggers who first reported the affair to the Steger officials, made the following statement:

"We went," said Boyle, "first to the station agent, who notified the constable by telegraph, and then to the saloon of B. Keenan. The proprietor was present when we told of finding the head, and three men, all strangers to us, were also in the room. We waited in the saloon, drinking and waiting until either the constable or the coroner should arrive. While we were talking the three men left the place and walked in the direction of the beach. In a short time Boquet came and we all followed the path taken by the other three. When we reached the beach the head was gone."

Skirting the beach between the chemical works and the spot where the head was found by the clam-diggers is a head some eight feet high. Behind this head is the bathhouse, built on a meadow four or five feet above high tide mark. As it was above high tide when the head was unearthed, it is obviously impossible that it was carried away by the receding waters.

Deputy Constable Navellier declares his intention of prosecuting his inquiry into the mystery until he satisfies himself that no crime has been committed in this vicinity. A murder has been done, until he has the criminal in custody. This morning he found, some distance south of the bathhouse, a pair of trousers of a uniform, evidently a portion of a uniform. He has kept the garments as evidence.

Owing to press of business at Martinez, Sheriff Veale was unable to visit Steger today. He said over the telephone that he will be here in a day or two for the purpose of investigating the matter.

If You Knew

You could be relieved of that periodic or chronic nervous or sick headache in a few minutes, would you continue to suffer?

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Will bring such relief, quick and sure. That is not all. They will prevent and cure all kinds of pain—Neuralgia, Backache, Rheumatism, Menstrual Pain, Stomachache, etc.

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Sold under a guarantee that first package will benefit, or druggist will return your money.

Twenty-five doses, 25 cents. Never sold in bulk.

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- 2—Weathered Oak; leaded glass cupboards; three French plate mirrors \$33.75
- 3—Quarter Sawed Oak; fine golden polish; large linen-drawer; 2 top drawers \$24.00
- 4—Flaked Quarter Sawed Oak; 2 hand carved cupboards; lined top drawer—large linen drawer \$31.50
- 5—Weathered Oak; 2 leaded glass cupboards—2 swell top drawers; long linen-drawer; fine French plate mirror \$30.00

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TRIED TO WALK IN HEPBURN MEMORIAL SALOON ROBBED SUICIDE HE SLEPT BILL UP TRIAL ON QUESTION THE P. O.

Mrs. A. N. Carroll Jumps Into Lake Merritt.

Mrs. Nettie Carroll, wife of A. N. Carroll of 1110 Brush street, made a desperate attempt to commit suicide yesterday at 2 o'clock by throwing herself from a float beside the houseboats conducted by J. Fatjo, into Lake Merritt. The woman was prevented from carrying out her intention by the prompt action of Fatjo, who saw her fling herself headlong into the water, and he plunged in immediately afterwards to rescue her. He had to fight desperately with the woman while dragging her from the water and both were exhausted when he finally got her back on the float. Mrs. Carroll, ever since her rescue, has been incoherent and cannot give a good explanation as to why she attempted her life. Her husband was notified of her attempt and came immediately to the City Prison, to which place the woman was taken, and attempted to comfort her. She exclaimed to her husband, "You know why I tried to do it," and in the next breath stated that she had no intention of taking her life.

Several weeks ago Carroll had an ex-soldier named Budd Scott arrested for paying attention to his stepdaughter.

TORE HIS FINGER.

Charles Norris, a teamster living at Adams wharf, had the middle finger of his right hand torn off at the middle joint yesterday by the rolling of a load of lumber he was hauling. He was trying to start the load off the wagon on the rollers made in the bed of the wagon to aid in unloading it, when it caught his finger between the lumber and the wagon wheel and tore it off. His injury was attended to at the Receiving Hospital by Dr. George Reine.

HOW SUPERVISORS WOULD BRIDGE SAUSAL CREEK

Viewers Tell Cost of the Proposed Road From Lake Chabot to Town of Hayward.

At the meeting of the Supervisors yesterday all the members were present.

INFIRMARY REPORT.

Superintendent Clark of the County Infirmary reported that there are now in the institution 399 inmates. Of these 68 were admitted during January, 61 left and 13 died. Filed.

WITHDRAW FROM BOND.

Daniel Schmidt and Lars Hendrickson, in a communication, notified the Board that they desired to withdraw from the bond of Charles F. Atkins, poundmaster of Fruitvale.

FOOTHILLS ROAD.

County Surveyor Prather reported that the Ransome Construction Company has done work as follows, since the filing of the last estimate, January 20: Lineal feet of curb, 1458 at 10 cents per foot, \$145.80; 4598 square feet of rock gutter at 8 cents, \$367.84; 109,968 square feet of sidewalk, \$1099.68, making a total of \$1503.13. Of this amount, under the provisions of the contract, 25 per cent, or \$375.78, is withheld. The amount due this month, is \$1127.35. The total amount of work done to date under the contract has cost \$90,874.21, and the total amount paid is \$68,156.66. Filed.

SHERIFF'S REPORT.

Sheriff Barnett reported that the cost of maintaining prisoners in the county jail during January was \$295. Filed.

SALOON LICENSES.

Applications for liquor licenses were made as follows: Adam Kraft, northeast corner of Park and Glascow streets; Henry Harmon, Redwood road and Alameda avenue; J. Costa, Irvington.

County Surveyor E. C. Prather, E. K. Strobbridge and E. A. Webb, viewers in the matter of opening of a road leading from Castro valley to Lake Chabot and thence in an easterly direction to Center street Hayward, reported that the length of the proposed road would be 2.43 miles, and that the width would be fifty feet.

All of the people over whose ground the road will run asked damages. These claimants, and the amount of the claim of each is as follows: J. T. Stanton, 197 acres, \$342.60; Anna M. Whelton, 1.62 acres, \$140.40; A. B. Wilson, 4.35 acres, \$657.80; M. Christensen, .57 acres, \$57.80; M. J. Madison, 1.85 acres, \$27.80; F. C. Winton, .55 acres, \$147.50; estate of Mrs. John Cahill, 1.12 acres, \$184.80; J. C. Silveira, 1.06 acres, \$184.70; M. F. Rose, .66 acres \$111.30.

This makes a total of \$2151.50. The estimated cost of the building of the road is \$2500, of which sum \$1500 will be required for bridges and \$1000 for grading. March 19 next is set as the time for the hearing of the report.

REQUISITION.

The requisition of Judge W. R. Geary for 1000 writs of attachment was granted by the County Clerk. The writs were erroneously compelled to pay poll tax because he is over sixty years of age. The complaint was referred to the County Tax Collector.

P. H. Hoare, of Castro Valley road district, filed an inventory of county property in his possession as foreman of that road district.

ASSESSOR'S REQUEST.

Assessor Dalton, in a communication, asked that he be authorized to publish the regular notice in the several papers of the county for the payment of poll tax and personal property tax, payable to the Assessor between the first Monday in March and the first Monday in July.

Supervisor Rowe said he thought it was customary for the Supervisors to select

Patnetic Case of a San Francisco Young Girl.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27.—Sorrow for a dear old friend whose voice was still forever in the tempest that wrecked the steamer Valencia, but whose spirit words came to her on that awful night of the 23d of January in an agonized cry for help, ringing in her haunted slumbers ever since, made so deep an imprint on the sensitive nature of Mamie Wheatley, a girl of fifteen years that she has left her couch twice within a week in a cataleptic trance to wander barefooted and night-gowned from street to street. Both times the little sleepwalker was saved from the peril of life and limb which she braved unconsciously by officers of the law. Both times her somnambulistic exploit followed a dream in which the ghost of her drowned friend came to her and cried:

"For God's sake, Mamie, get me a boat."

At 5 o'clock yesterday she walked through the streets in her night clothes.

WILL NOT BE A GENERAL STRIKE

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, today endorsed the opinion that there will be no general strike of coal miners on April 1 next, which was given out last night in Indianapolis by Vice-President T. J. Lewis of the United Mine Workers. President Mitchell said:

"I guess that is right."

THIEF TAKES HARNESS.

William P. Courtney, formerly a councilman, this morning reported to the police that he had lost a harness from his barn, 755 Jackson street, last night. A lock was picked off.

Senate Galleries Crowded to Hear Railroad Rates Discussed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Expecting a spirited discussion over the report by Mr. Tillman of the Hepburn railroad rate bill, the galleries of the Senate chamber were crowded when today's session was called to order. An unusually large number of Senators were in their seats. Mr. Tillman decided that he was not prepared to make a formal report and that it would be more effective to simply report the bill in accordance with the resolution adopted by the committee, which provides that the members are left free to exercise individual judgment concerning amendments that may be offered in the Senate.

As soon as the Vice-President called for reports of outstanding committees, a number of Senators arose but Mr. Tillman was recognized. He announced that he had been instructed by the committee on Interstate Commerce to report House Bill 12987 without amendment, and he read the resolution adopted. After a discussion concerning the printing of the testimony taken by the committee an order was made for the publication of 10,000 copies. Mr. Tillman gave notice that he would press the bill to the earliest consideration. He said that much of the testimony taken was irrelevant and that the committee had employed two experts, Messrs. Newcomb and Adams, and they had made an epitome of the testimony, which also would be printed.

FREED AT LIFE'S CLOSE

AGED SOLDIER WHO MURDERED SON PARDONED AFTER 27 YEARS IN JAIL.

TOPEKA, Kas., Feb. 27.—Martin Jarbers, an old soldier serving his twenty-seventh year in the State penitentiary, was today granted an unconditional pardon by Governor Hoch. Jarbers was found guilty of killing his son by means of poisoned eggs in November, 1878. Heretofore Mrs. Jarbers had opposed the granting of a pardon, but the prisoner being old and practically at the point of death, opposition was withdrawn.

SENT TO ASYLUM

MARTINEZ, Feb. 27.—William Guntor, who recently killed his father, August Guntor, and seriously wounded his mother, here was adjudged insane by Judge Wells today after a hearing by a lunacy commission, and ordered sent to the Napa asylum.

GEO. DUDDY'S FUNERAL.

The remains of the late George Duddy were this morning laid to rest in St. Mary's Cemetery beside those of his father, who died about three weeks ago.

The funeral took place from the late home of the deceased, 1300 Clay street, and was attended by a large number of friends of the deceased. It was under the auspices of the Order of the Knights of which Mr. Duddy was a devoted member.

The services were held at 9 o'clock in St. Francis de Sales Church, where a requiem mass was celebrated for the repose of the soul of the deceased. Mr. Duddy was solemnly in the Order of the Knights of which Mr. Duddy was a devoted member.

The pall-bearers were Samuel Short, Lawrence Byrnes, Eugene Stockler, George Volmer, C. J. Toomey and M. A. Frank.

Mr. Duddy had a wide acquaintance in Oakland, because he was a native of this city and had resided here all his life. He was genial and companionable and the announcement of his death occasioned regret among his friends, and a deep regret was all the more poignant for the reason that the final summons came almost without premonition. Three weeks ago, when Mr. Duddy's father, an advanced age, passed away, Mr. Duddy was seriously ill in the hospital. He was only thirty-three years of age and seemed destined to exceed even the years of his parent, but he fell victim to rheumatism, which finally reached his heart. His death is mourned by his widow, Margaret Duddy, his mother, the widow of the late Martin Duddy, and the following surviving brothers and sisters respectively: William and Joseph Duddy, Mrs. M. D. H. Skilton and Mrs. A. McManus, Mrs. F. F. Smith and Mrs. W. H. Dennis.

DUCHESS WELCOMED.

BERLIN, Feb. 27.—Duchess Sophie Charlotte of Oldenburg arrived in Berlin with her father from Oldenburg today in a drizzling rain. After luncheon with the Emperor and Empress, Prince Bittor Friederich and other members of the imperial family, at the small Bellevue palace, she drove with her grandmother, Princess Frederick Karl of Prussia, to the imperial palace, cheered along the route by some hundreds of thousands of people. At the Brandenburg gate the Duchess shook hands with the chief burgomaster and thanked him for the address of welcome which he delivered. The procession was as brilliant as court equipages and cuirassiers and helmeted guardsmen could make it.

ARRESTED ON A CHARGE OF SEDUCTION

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 27.—The Governor's office this morning issued a warrant for the requisition of Ole Kleistad, who is under arrest in Oakland and is wanted in Portland, Or., upon a charge of seduction. The warrant was given to Officer Frank Snow of Portland, who will take Kleistad back to Oregon for trial.

Testimony Begun in Second Attempt to Convict the Youth.

The second trial of Percy Pembroke, charged with the murder of Thomas Cook out at Fruitvale on the night of July 22 last, in company with John Schneider and George Blaker, was resumed this morning and the taking of testimony began. The jury was sequestered last week and yesterday J. H. Klepper was put on as the first witness by District Attorney Allen.

Klepper is engaged in the oil business, and in driving past an orchard close to the home of Blaker, a few days before the attack on Cook was made, he saw Schneider and Blaker with a piece of ordinary water pipe about four feet in length. He said his attention was called to the pipe by reason of the fact that one of the boys threw an apple and hit him, and that when he looked around one of them held up the pipe and shook it at him.

The theory of the prosecution is that this piece of pipe was chopped in two, and then used by the boys to make the budgeons which they inflicted on the victim and inflicted the wounds that resulted in his death. The two pieces of piping when placed end to end would make just such a piece of pipe as described by Klepper. The ends of the pipe also fit together, and the marks of a hatchet which the pipe was hacked in two show the means used in cutting the pipe.

Both Blaker and Schneider have been brought back from State prison, where they are under sentence for life for the crime, and were seated in court this morning and were interested listeners to the recital by Klepper of this piece of testimony. Blaker has never yet testified in any of the cases growing out of the assault and murder of Cook, but in a statement made just prior to his leaving the county jail, his testimony will be against Pembroke and will implicate him even more deeply than Schneider in the actual attack on Cook.

MITCHELL'S TRIAL DELAYED

ATTORNEY FRICK'S ILLNESS ALSO HINDERS McNULTY AND LOGAN CASES.

MAY REVOKE FUEL COMPANIES' CHARTERS

PUEBLO, Colo., Feb. 26.—Following the action of the special Grand Jury last Saturday night in returning indictments against officers of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, the Colorado Smelting Company for violation of the law in using the "scrap system" of paying their employees, capitalists were issued this morning by President F. J. Bearne and Attorney D. C. Beaman of the fuel company for conspiracy to violate the law and against the directors and officers of that company for actual violations.

In its recommendations for proceeding against these companies the Grand Jury demanded that the Attorney-General of the State at once institute suits against the offending corporations for the purpose of revoking their charters.

DIVORCES GRANTED.

Alleging desertion on the part of his wife, Henry C. Falster has begun divorce proceedings against Elizabeth E. Falster. He states that they have been married in 1902 and that they have one child, born May 1903.

OTHER CASES.

The case of "Colonel" Frank Lynch, former editor of the Fruitvale News, is charged by E. L. Blackman with criminal libel, was set for trial this morning by Judge Henry Melvin for April 10th. Attorney George De Golla for Lynch entered a demurrer to the proceedings on several grounds, which, however, was overruled. Attorney De Golla entered a plea of "not guilty" for his client.

Louis Bobroski, a youth charged with having misled Lottie Steele, a young girl under the age of 16, had his trial set for next Wednesday, the day being left open by the continuance of another case.

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The cases of A. Wells, Frank Lopez and Ross Chapin, alias Sears, charged with the robbery of M. Ogata, a Japanese, were set for April 24, 12th and 13th respectively.

OLD HOMESTEAD TO BE SUBDIVIDED

The McKee-Moon homestead located on Adeline street between Tenth and Twelfth streets, and occupied by Attorney Warren Olney, son of Ex-Mayor Warren Olney, and property that has been in the possession of the above named family for forty-nine years, was sold during the past week through the agency of George W. Austin to J. Lewis Martin, Esq., of Xmas and B. L. Young, who will move the old house around to face Magnolia street and will immediately subdivide the homestead into building lots and place them on the market for sale through the same agency.

RESOLUTIONS ANENT THE LATE SPEAKER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The Iowa delegation in Congress, every member being present, passed suitable resolutions upon the death of the late Speaker David B. Henderson. Owing to the press of business a committee of the Iowa delegation cannot be sent to the funeral.

City Attorney Says Matter Cannot Go Before People.

City Attorney McElroy last night made a report to the City Council upon the question of local option asked for by the Anti-Saloon League, and the leading ministers of the city. Mr. McElroy's opinion, it is understood, will be adverse to the submission of the saloon question to the voters. The contention on which the opinion is based is such that the Council has the sole and exclusive power to pass upon all licenses, whether they should be denied or granted, and that the City Council would save no power to delegate its authority to the voters of any particular district. This right of passing upon licenses being inherent in the Council, the voters will be enabled to pass upon the question whether saloons shall exist or shall not exist in certain limits.

HIT BY A CAR.

W. D. Trosper, a resident of Point Richmond, while standing on the curb of a car at Thirteenth street and Broadway was hit by a car coming in the opposite direction and his head received a cut which he had attended to at the Receiving Hospital by Steward Harry Borchert. He was leaning over the stop and his head hung back far enough to come in contact with the car on the other rail. The laceration was not serious and he was able to leave the hospital as soon as the wound had been dressed.

SILVER WEDDING FOR EMPEROR

AMBASSADOR TOWER PRESENTS THE COMPLIMENTS OF THE PRESIDENT.

BERLIN, Feb. 27.—Ambassador Tower today presented President Roosevelt's message congratulating the German Emperor and Empress on their silver wedding anniversary. The Emperor, in expressing his thanks, mentioned the wedding of Alice Roosevelt to Mr. Longworth and the marriage of the Duchess Sophie Charlotte of Oldenburg to Prince Eric Frederick, which occurs tomorrow, and said he hoped these young people would be as happy as he and the Empress had been.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

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Elizabeth F. Gray, Oakland, 31
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Large Hall Made by Thieves at San Diego.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 27.—The main post-office at this place was entered by robbers last night and it is believed a large amount of money was stolen. Some time between 11:30 last night and 6 o'clock this morning the vault was dynamited. The discovery was not made until morning and every effort has been made to prevent publicity. All the stamps in the office were taken and the office today wired for \$800 worth from Los Angeles. So far as can be learned at present there is no clue to the perpetrators. It is believed the amount stolen will reach a large sum, as a heavy money order business was done with the sale of the Pacific squadron on Saturday pay day, prior to the departure of the ships.

CHARMING GOWNS OF SHORT DRESS LENGTHS.

This is the time of the year that the shops are full of real bargains, and if the woman of limited income can take advantage of the sales she will be able to dress well on just about half the amount that it would cost to buy the articles in season.

Imported and domestic dresses, coats and hats are offered at great reductions, and while, perhaps, the greatest novelties have been sold, one will be able to find many charming gowns at reasonable prices.

Styles in dresses, of course, change a good deal from season to season, but in evening cloaks the changes are less sudden, so a cloak may be worn easily two or three years without any alterations, and if bought now would be an excellent purchase.

The greatest bargains are probably to be found in woolen dress materials, for summer goods are now daily arriving and more must be made for them; so the prices of woolen fabrics are greatly reduced.

These materials may either be put away until next summer, or they can be made up now for immediate use.

The thin woolen materials, such as cashmere, voile, cologne, etc., are perfectly suitable for spring dresses, and these are not so much reduced except in dress lengths, but among these may be found a great variety of beautiful shades, and if the length seems a little short a little silk or lace can be added to make out the gown.

A very attractive house dress of any thin woolen material could be very easily made up with a small pointed yoke of fine imitation point de Venice lace, outlined by a band of silk, crossed in front, with a ruffle of the same lace beyond.

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MURPHY.—In this city, February 26, 1906, Katharine Murphy, native of Ireland, aged 70 years. [Sacramento Bee please copy.]

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral tomorrow (Wednesday), February 28, at 9 a. m., from her late residence, 719 Alcazar street, thence to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, where services will be held at 9:30 o'clock a. m. Omit flowers; interment private.

KITZBERG.—In San Francisco, Cal., February 24, 1906, August Krueger, a native of Germany, aged 78 years 4 months 7 days.

Services took place February 26, at I. O. O. F. Cemetery, San Francisco (Portland, Or.; Evanston, Ill., papers please copy.)

HOLLAND.—In this city, February 26, 1906, Henry Rollin, beloved husband of the late Bridget Rollin, a native of Germany, aged 75 years 9 months. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his brother-in-law, William, Calhoun, 1111 8th street, tomorrow (Wednesday), February 28, at 10 o'clock a. m.; thence to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, where a requiem high mass will be celebrated for the soul of the deceased, commencing at 11 o'clock a. m. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery, Oakland.

KILLED BY A CAR.

The funeral of Elmer Fagerstein, who was fatally injured Saturday night in a car accident, was held this morning from 512 Thirteenth street. The interment was in Mountain View Cemetery.

The deceased came to his death in a horrible manner at the corner of Tenth and Broadway streets, Saturday night. He was knocked down by a car and run over by another car.

Although he almost immediately was taken to the Receiving Hospital, he died in a short while. He leaves one brother, who resides in Rockford, Illinois.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses were issued by the County Clerk yesterday:

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Oakland Tribune Free. While visiting in Oakland get the latest news. Visit H. Scheelhaas' store. Buy some little token to bring back to memory of your trip to the city. A \$1.50 purchase at our store and we will deliver one of the most enterprising papers of the present age. One month, positively no charge. H. Scheelhaas, cor. Eleventh and Franklin streets.

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Colds

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TO-DAY

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It took Dr. Pierce, with the assistance of two learned chemists, eight years of hard work experimenting to make this vegetable extract and alternative of the greatest efficiency.

Just the sort of spring remedy you need to make rich, red blood, and cure that lassitude and feeling of nerve exhaustion. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery bears the stamp of PUBLIC APPROVAL and has sold more largely in the past forty years than any other blood purifier and stomach tonic. The refreshing influence of this extract is like Nature's influence—the blood is bathed in the tonic which gives life to the blood—the vital fires of the body burn brighter and their increased activity consumes the tissue rubbish which has accumulated during the winter. Dr. R. V. Pierce, the founder of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, and a physician of large experience and practice, was the first to make up an **ALTERATIVE EXTRACT** of roots, herbs and barks,

Without a Particle of Alcohol or Narcotics,

which purifies the blood and tones up the stomach and the entire system in Nature's own way. The "Golden Medical Discovery" is just the tissue builder and tonic you require when recovering from a hard cold, grip, or pneumonia. No matter how strong the constitution our stomach is apt to be "out of kilter" after a long, hard winter; in consequence our blood is disordered for the stomach is the laboratory for the constant manufacture of blood. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery strengthens the stomach—puts it in shape to make pure, rich blood—helps the liver and kidneys to expel the poisons from the body. If you take this

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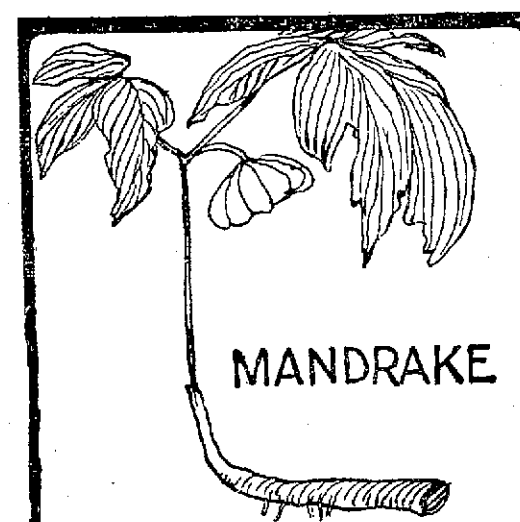
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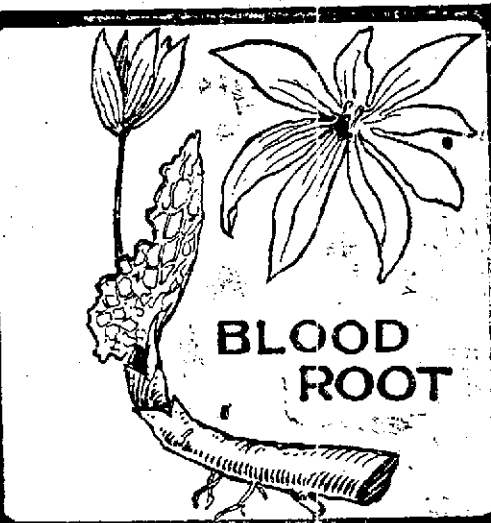
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HONOR IS PAID TO STRAUSS

MANY MUSIC LOVERS GATHER IN
THE LIBERTY THE-
ATER.

EDITOR TRIBUNE:—A large and enthusiastic gathering of the music-lovers of this city assembled at the Liberty Playhouse on Friday afternoon to do honor to Richard Strauss and the magnificent coterie of artists who combined to interpret his works. It is beyond doubt that none of the audience who attentively listened to the heavy program went away dissatisfied, but rather felt they had fed the musical faculty on a new dish—a mental and emotional "piece de resistance" in a "carte" of transcendent greatness. Strauss, as he is accepted today in the musical centers of the old world and in the eastern part of our own country, where he is better known than we have hitherto had an opportunity of learning to know him, is the pre-eminent composer of symphonic poems—unsurpassed in the painting of tone-pictures, intricate in construction, yet simple in emotion. The learned musician delights in the classic form—the layman revels in the heart-affecting melodies. We are not used to finding strictly classic music so. With all these elements of popularity the orchestral works of this composer have not to our knowledge been produced in this State. Many of us were very much disappointed when Fritz Scheel, the symphonic leader par excellence, left here without contributing something to our knowledge of Richard Strauss. We had wished, we had almost hoped to hear the "Don Juan" music, or "Till Eulenspiegel," but it was not so to be. Philosophically we may console ourselves that great and new enjoyments are still in store for us.

All this, apropos of that most enjoyable, most profitable afternoon with Richard Strauss given by our own virtuoso, August Hinrichs. We have al-

ready spoken of the attitude of the audience. It remains to speak of the several numbers and their rendition. Mr. Hinrichs is an untiring worker for the cause of music and a Strauss enthusiast. He gathered about him artists best adapted for the special needs of this modern colossus of the musical world and himself appeared as violin soloist with a resulting artistic success that deserved the financial success that came with it.

The program began with the "Sonata" for violin and piano, admirably played by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Guttersen. The opening of the Sonata is a broad, majestic allegro movement, followed by an exquisite andante, the playing of which aroused the first enthusiasm of the day. The last—allegro vivace—does not say much. In fact it seems meant solely to give the player a chance to exhibit technique. A chance of which Mr. and Mrs. Guttersen made so much as to get several instant recalls. As a violinist Mr. Guttersen ranks as one of the best. His bowing is elegant, his intonation pure and his tone though not large, is of a beautiful quality and just fitting to the Sonata. We cannot be persuaded, however, to think that he grasped the individuality of Strauss as fully as his talented wife, whose playing was most enjoyable. I am inclined to miss a certain "schwung" in her performance which just made her fall short of the great.

Mrs. Birmingham, the much heralded and admired contralto, from San Francisco was a distinct disappointment. Probably because we looked for something far beyond what any of our own vocalists could give us. When Mrs. Birmingham's name is mentioned on the other side of the bay every native-born low in homage. Now, Strauss as a song writer is—some—sublime. Every note breathes a world of meaning to the heart as well as to the mind, and withal to the soul—the last was what the fair singer failed to reach.

The music to Tennyson's "Enoch Arden" which was composed in 1899, if I am not mistaken, is the embodiment of sublimity in sound. That little dream episode and those solemn chords of death—lovely and grand beyond description. I was thankful to the two gentlemen, Franklin Underwood and Mr. Maurer, that the music had not been curtailed as much as the poem. How happy Tennyson had been if he could have heard this beautiful musical setting to his verses. Mr. Underwood's reading of the lines was strong and intelligent. Mr. Maurer did not disappoint us and that is saying much for we expect great things of him always.

The interest naturally centered in

August Hinrichs. To him was due the conception and fulfilling of the event. We are indebted to him for the opportunity we have had so far to hear and enjoy the music of Richard Strauss, and especially indebted for the rendering of that marvelous violin concerto. It took work—it tires me to think of the hours of practice it must have taken—it took courage—for none of the great violinists have had the hardihood to commit this superlative work to mind or fingers, and it took understanding and sympathy. We were satisfied in all these. We rose to the soloist and told him so in unstinted applause. The enthusiasm was untinged but it was deserved.

The first movement is an allegro, and begins with a ponderous double octave run. The climax of such a run leaves one startled on the high D somewhere in the tenth position. Then follows a maze of "working out" through all of which the leading motive, a little phrase in octaves, is carried and appears now here now there to greet the listener like an old friend.

The lento is a gem by itself and should be in the repertoire of every violinist. No more beautiful movement can be imagined. The performance in this alone was sufficient to stamp Mr. Hinrichs a musician of the highest order. The notes welled up from the heart in round sweet tones that came out as if from the very heart and landed there like a caress. The final rondo (preludio) was witchcraft. The notes chased one another in rippling passages and the soul of the listener laughed in a contagious glee. Daintily is so weak a term that one hesitates to use it in connection, yet how shall a mere writer put ethereal things to language and hope to convey their idea. Toward the end of this movement the first motive comes forward once more—boldly—only to vanish in the devil-may-care run that brings the concerto to a close. The event is passed and calmly we can look back and measure and judge—calmly we can—but can we? No, not calmly for the enthusiasm rises as the recollection and we warm in mind once more to the composition and to the artist who interpreted it so ably. We are a musical city—Athens of the Pacific again in this. Music and musicians thrive with us and we are proud to say August Hinrichs is of us. We can make good our claim to him. And—Well, thanks to him we had one chance ahead of our sister city across the bay to get acquainted with the masterpieces of Richard Strauss.

MEN'S CLUB HOLDS A HOUSE WARMING

The Men's Club of the First Free Baptist Church celebrated the renovating of the vestry by a house-warming to their friends Friday evening of last week. The club had raised the necessary money in advance for the repairs.

The ceiling was fitted a beautiful cream color, the walls papered a rich green with gold work. The vestry, with its neat carpet and pretty curtains, presented a very pleasing appearance. The young men of the club had arranged a splendid program with some surprises at the closing end of it. After prayer by the pastor, Rev. William Robert Reid, and a short welcoming address by the president, Alex. F. Ross, A. W. Abbott gave a piano solo, and Russell Countryman a vocal solo. Walter Kennedy, Berkeley, was called on for two recitations and Robert Sutherland for a vocal solo. An exhibition of the "Educated Goat," purporting to be the same used at the club's initiation, was then given, followed by a short farce, "A Ladies' Aid Meeting." Afterwards a sumptuous repast was served.

DIED AT HOSPITAL.
Mrs. Margaret Pringle, a resident of East Oakland, died last night at the Providence Hospital after a brief illness. She was sixty years of age and had resided in this city for many years.

GUNS NOT SOLD TO CITY

RELICS OF CIVIL WAR ARE
CHOPPED INTO SMALL
PIECES.

"The turret monitor Comanche steamed around the south side of Mare Island, forty years ago, for shell practice with her fifteen-inch smooth-bore gun. A fifteen-inch shell was fired into the southern slope of the island, where it exploded with tremendous force, tearing open the ground in a manner described at the time, 'as if an extensive mining operation had been commenced.' On the return of the monitor to the navy yard her Captain learned from the Commandant that some fragments of the shell had been thrown over the summit of the island and dropped in the navy yard, where they were afterward found imbedded in the ground. The Comanche belonged to the chessboard type of Civil War monitors. Some years ago the vessel, with machinery and armament complete, was sold to Oakland junk dealers. The turret and armor plate were stripped and turned into scrapiron. One of the fifteen-inch cast-iron guns was sold to the city of Oakland and is preserved as a relic of the Civil War, and the hull below the water line of the craft as she floated when in commission as a warship is now being service as a coal barge. Not long since one of Uncle Sam's modern battleships was coaling at her moorings in midstream in this bay. On each side of her was a large funnel from which coal was being passed into her bunkers. These barges looked like cockleshells alongside the great hull of the battleship, yet one was the hulk of the former monitor Comanche and the other that of the old-time steam sloop of war Mohongo. It is a remarkable comparison of the past and the present in naval architecture."

The above is taken from a department in The San Francisco Chronicle of yesterday styled, "In and About San Francisco Forty Years Ago." It will be read with interest by people on this side of the bay. The writer, however, is in error when he declares that "One of the fifteen-inch cast-iron guns was sold to the city of Oakland and is preserved as a relic of the Civil War." The condemned monitor was purchased

by J. Pantoskey of this city. One, at least, of her 15-inch guns was purchased by a couple of residents of this city with the purpose of selling it to this city. The gun was placed in the gore block north of the big flagpole near the intersection of Telegraph avenue and Broadway. It was an unsightly object. It succeeded in frightening horses which passed it, and this first led to strenuous objection to the city's acquiring ownership of it. Another objection was that a good round price was asked for it. This caused people to believe that there was a monetary purpose behind the proposed sale and as a consequence the gun was never acquired by this city.

When the hopelessness of a sale was impressed upon the promoters of the project, the cumbersome weapon was with difficulty moved to the site of the present new postoffice and cut up into chunks of as fine iron as experts in iron business here admitted they had ever seen. The cutting was done by a saw which was specially rigged for the purpose, the motive power being electricity. The pieces of iron were sold to a foundry in this city and have since been resolved into other shapes and applied to more peaceful purposes.

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The Stockton Idea.

The "steamed" editor of the Stockton Mail raves about government ownership of railroads to the extent of a column, and as usual has clouded the subject with his own ignorance. He resents being termed "pers-precocious." Yet that is precisely what he is, for his assumed perscacity is merely precocity of the kind usually denominated freshness. His familiarity with the "hell box" indicates his natural calling and the source of his inspiration.

However, all this is beside the point under discussion, or rather the point the Mail takes such pains to avoid discussing. Originally we stated that under government ownership the revenues of the railroads would decrease precisely in the amount cut off the compensation now awarded for carrying the mails. Incidentally we remarked that the Postal Department had lost money from the day it was started, although the enormous sums expended for postoffice buildings were never charged up against it.

Whereupon the Stockton Mail politely stigmatized the editor of THE TRIBUNE an ignoramus and an office boy—an answer worthy of a bigoted ass. Now the Mail attempts to shift the controversy to its bald assertion that the mails can be carried at a profit under government ownership even if the rates of mail carriage be largely reduced. At the same time it inferentially repudiates the suggestion that the cost of operation would be reduced under government ownership.

If there be no reduction in the expense of operation, it is difficult to see how the rates of transportation can be materially lowered—that is, unless the railroads are to be confiscated.

But admitting that the rates can be reduced materially and yet permit of the railways being operated to a profit without deterioration, it is self evident that the revenues of the roads would be decreased to the extent of the reduction in the price paid for carrying the mails. But we gave several potential reasons why the revenues would shrink and the expense of operation swell under government ownership. The public would demand an increased service and lower rates, while the labor unions would demand shorter hours and higher wages for railway employees. There would also be a demand for enlarged facilities not justified by the traffic and extensions into unprofitable territory.

Every sane man knows these very things would occur, but the Mail, observing its habitual candor and fairness in discussion, declines to consider these propositions or to admit that they have even been advanced. Instead, it sets up the ipse dixit of its editor, wholly ex parte and unsupported by any fact or logical deduction from any established fact or analogy, to the effect that under government ownership railroads can be operated at a profit and the rates of transportation be materially lowered at the same time. It also derides the suggestion that the expense of operation be lowered, for the suggestion naturally involves either, or both, a reduction in wages or a lengthening of the hours of service.

The Stockton paper also declines to address itself to the major factor of the problem, namely: the method and cost of acquiring the railroads. It is evident that they must be either bought or confiscated. Which does the Mail propose? If they are to be purchased how is their value to be determined—by the cost of reproducing their physical parts as they stand or by their earning capacity, together with the increment attaching to the lands, appurtenances and water front terminals acquired as an incident to their business?

Such a question may appear irrelevant or even impertinent to shallow-pated village philosophers who stand prepared to settle off-hand the most complex affairs of the universe, but it goes, nevertheless, to the very heart of the matter. The interest on the original investment—not to the first owner, but the last—is a decisive factor in fixing compensatory rates for the carriage of freight and passengers. The other is the expense of operation, the bulk of which is chargeable to the wages of labor. In the aggregate the railroads pay less than three per cent on their capitalization. They pay less than four on their market value. Assuming that they are purchased at their present market value, it is clear that they cannot be operated at a profit unless the present scale of charges be approximately maintained or the expense of operation reduced.

Under government ownership the sums now paid in State, county and municipal taxes would, of course, be remitted, but the remission would simply be added to the tax bills of ordinary property owners. On the existing basis of capitalization and expense of operation, transportation rates could be reduced to the extent of the taxes remitted without impairing the profit-earning capacity of the railroads, but the rates of taxation would be swelled to exactly the same extent.

Apparently what the Stockton paper means to say, but only clumsily intimates, is that the railroad owners are deriving a larger profit from the transport business than is justifiable. It seems to us that they have not derived an excessive profit from traffic, but rather have enriched themselves by manipulating stocks, taking advantage of situations and conditions created by railroad operation, and capitalizing the increment resultant from increase of population and the development of industry in general. No railroad property in the country pays what can reasonably be called excessive dividends on its stock, but the managers have in many instances grown enormously rich. But, on the other hand, thousands of people have sunk vast amounts in building unprofitable railroads. Many of these roads are now dividend earners, but they have mostly been absorbed by large systems and have passed through long periods when their earnings did not meet interest on construction and the expense of operation. During their existence large sums have been irretrievably sunk in them.

If the government purchase such roads, what shall be the measure of their value? What they have cost to date? What they have cost their present owners? What it will cost today to reproduce their physical parts? Or what they are worth in their present condition, taking the existing conditions and future prospects of the country into consideration? The editor of the Stockton Mail must answer these questions before he can even reach his theorem that under government ownership railroads can be profitably operated with a heavily reduced rate schedule.

The trouble with the public ownership which held a so-called mass convention at Fresno the other day, is that it seems to be engineered by half a dozen small fry village politicians, who are getting in line to do business in the coming State campaign. It only needed the presence of that eminent reformer and political purist, Carl Brown, to have its character and purposes fully disclosed.

Those Italian peasants were exceedingly rude and vulgar to grow indignant and violent because a multi-millionaire like Mr. Vanderbilt chanced to bowl over one of their kids while taking his pleasure in an automobile. The father of the injured child also exhibited a reprehensible lack of business sense in refusing to take the Vanderbilt money as compensation for the injury. What right have people who love their children better than money to be poor?

A Hypocritical Wall.

The editor of the Enquirer owns a bicycle, and thereby hangs a tale—or a wall. He wants to ride it on the sidewalks. He therefore resolves himself into a noun of multitude, pleads poverty and supplicates the Council to emasculate the bicycle ordinance till it will be neither valuable nor recognizable for his particular benefit. The proposition is an impudent one, and the pretended sympathy for poor men who are compelled to walk to their work in rainy weather or pay a nickel for riding on a street car bathos and humbug.

By general law the sidewalks are dedicated to the exclusive use of pedestrians. The Council has no authority to grant persons the privilege of riding bicycles on the sidewalks, but it can guarantee immunity for such unlawful invasion of the rights of pedestrians by declining to provide a punishment therefor. The Enquirer, because its editor rides a wheel, desires to inconvenience the mass of the city's inhabitants, invade their rights and endanger their persons, that a comparatively small class in the community may be given an unlawful privilege.

If the streets are bad, the remedy is not riding bicycles on the sidewalk but paving and keeping them in repair. In San Francisco and Los Angeles—and, in fact, all cities of consequence throughout the United States—riding bicycles on the sidewalks is a misdemeanor. People are compelled to either walk or ride in street cars to their places of employment in case the condition of the streets does not permit of wheeling. As a matter of fact, the great body of San Francisco people ride to and from their work in street cars the year round. It never occurs to them to ask for the unlawful privilege of riding on the sidewalks.

As a cold blooded fact, the editor of the Enquirer is hiding his own selfish contempt for the rights of the public behind the skirts of the poor workmen over whose pretended woes he is shedding crocodile tears. He resents the bicycle ordinance because it restrains him from doing what he pleases regardless of the safety and convenience of others. He advocates a policy which will inevitably compel people to go armed with clubs and pistols to protect their rights and persons from reckless and ruffianly wheelmen.

We beg pardon of the Fresno Democrat. We now understand that when it said California is no poor man's land it meant that it is a land in which no industrious, thrifty man can remain poor. On this understanding we concur.

The infantile notion now being exploited that a half dozen groups of small politicians are going to decide who shall be the next Governor of California is destined to a rude upsetting. When the voters get through their spring plowing and the hay harvest they will take hold of the matter and settle it. When they do, the two-by-four political Warwick will, as usual, be found trying to crawl into the band wagon over the tail gate.

OAKLAND JUSTICE COMMENDED.

The Oakland judge who sentenced a mother to one year in jail for inducing her daughter to enter a life of shame should be kept on the bench, and the arresting officers should keep him busy with that class of citizenship. It is not every officer who is ready to "cut out the rotten."—Chico Enterprise.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Great men have many friends and many more enemies.

A dollar in the hand is worth ten you cannot borrow.

Men shake your hand if you win—and shake you if you lose.

Torn carpets are always ready to trip the light, fantastic toe.

Alas, the more a man reads the more useless knowledge he acquires.

It is easy to tolerate poverty when it is chummy with the other fellow.

But the more confidence a man has in himself the less praying he does.

Many a man who is honest from principle is honorable only for effect.

Patience may enable a man to win in a walk, but it's usually a long walk.

The man who doesn't want what he hasn't got has all he wants and is happy.

Most people would far rather listen to undeserved praise than to merited criticism.

It is far easier to find fault at a boarding house than it is to find a satisfactory meal.

Our idea of a pestiferous man is one who waits until Saturday night to get his hair amputated.

There is nothing calculated so completely to take the humility out of a man who blames himself as agreeing with him.—Chicago News.

CHIPS FROM OTHER BLOCKS.

This Castellane business will start the whole world to asking: "Why will American girls," etc.—New York World.

The market for American poker chips is said to be seriously threatened by undervaluation of the Japanese article.—Baltimore Sun.

Bacilli are blamed for nearly everything that goes wrong these days. Wonder if Secretary Loeb is a bacillus!—New York Herald.

The "We are seven" Congressmen can now sympathize with the juror who has trouble with his eleven obstinate associates.—New York Tribune.

It may be all right for the Senators to dig the Panama canal themselves, but it will never do to make Senator Morgan a gang boss.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"They've found out nowadays," observed Uncle Jerry Peebles, "that a man can digest his food without a stomach, and talk without a tongue, but I know men that live and manage to get along all right, without any brains."—Chicago Tribune.

Is It Your Own Hair?

Do you pin your hat to your own hair? Can't do it? Haven't enough hair? It must be you do not know Ayer's Hair Vigor! Here's an introduction! May the acquaintance result in a heavy growth of rich, thick, glossy hair! And we know you will never be gray.

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All is well! Well! Well!
All is well!

Tangled and limpid music,
Rung through the valley of old,
What messages of heaven
Your brazen tongues have told!

How hath the old Saint waited
—Aloud, in his stony niche—
While you, so richly freighted,
The soul of the hearer bewitch,
He, with his gloomy grandeur
And stony, impassive face,
Awaited the laggard coming
Of devotee to his place.

But ye, O bells of old,
The message told
With your sweetness bold,
Into the distant ears,
Whispered of love—not fears—
Binding the eyes with tears,
And teaching that God is Love,
Filling the valley through,
The message old—yet new—
So joyfully you tell
That it doth swell
Up to heaven above.
God is Love! Is Love! Is Love!
And all is well!

O bells of San Gabriel,
Full well didst thou tell
The story of Virgin and Child,
Called out across the wild
—To the Soul defiled—
Of Him who was crucified,
Told the woe of the cross,
The terrible loss
For which the Holy One died.
You rung at morn,
When a day new born
Went out with blessing and prayer;
Your tones at night
Besought the light
Of love, on the darkening air.

At your sound,
O bells of San Gabriel,
With your tangled and tender chimes,
What sacred ghosts
In shadowy hosts
Troop out of the olden times.
What heroes of the priesthood;
What tragedies untold;
What prayers were said, what tears
were shed,
How beat the hearts of your cross-
marked dead;
Might not your tones unfold.

O ancient and holy mission,
With your worn and falling walls,
Surely your like is builded
Anew, in the heavenly halls.
For why should a place so holy,
—As well as the souls it won—
Not find in yonder heaven
Rest, after Earth is done?

And ye, O bells of San Gabriel,
So faithful through all the years,
Your chimes shall ring, where the van-
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"Give us back the sunny days,
The breeze perfumed by flowering sprays."
and all the other beauties and blessings of the season. As our share towards bringing this about, we

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White grounds with large floral effects and small rosebuds and sprays; very sheer fabric. **25c yd**

Oriental Crepe
36 inch wide; colored and white grounds, with Japanese figures; swell line for Kimonas. **16c yd**

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Yes, through the chances of heaven
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"All is well! Is well! Is well!
Earth is done! Is done! Is done!
Heaven is won! Is won! Is won!
And all is well!"
—E. B. Wall in Pacific Monthly.

Dental Economy.

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TELEPHONE GIRL PUTS ON "SUB" AND ELOPES

Pittsburg Man Falls in Love With Her Voice, Then With Her.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 27.—Unable to get an extended leave of absence, eighteen-year-old Alice Gibson of McDonald, chief operator for the Pittsburg and Allegheny Telephone Company in that borough, put on a substitute Monday and went to Youngstown, Ohio, where she was married to George Paul of Pittsburg.

Their elopement was planned partly because of the opposition of the bride's parents on account of the youth of their daughter. Miss Gibson had been chief operator at the exchange for three years. Paul fell in love with her voice, met her, fell in love with her again, and when her parents objected, proposed the elopement. The bride retains her position in the telephone office, but will resign as soon as her successor is appointed.

CONCERNING WOMEN.

The late Mrs. Amanda M. White, whose death at her home in Nashua, N. H., was announced recently had the distinction of being the only woman in her city to hold an honorary membership in the Nashua Veteran Firemen's association, and it is believed the only woman in New Hampshire so closely affiliated with the fire fighters of the old handbub days and heroes of fall season musters. Mrs. White was somewhat proud of her distinction as an honorary member of this organization. When on the occasion of the annual ball of the association she and her husband the late John White, led the grand march, the occasion was one of more than usual pleasure for her. She kept her commission of membership each year and ever exhibited the greatest interest in the organization.



Listen with undivided attention. Don't talk to one who is reading or writing.

The League for Political Education, not content with educating us only in the politics of our nation has issued a booklet of rules for guidance in conversation written by Miss Adele M. Fielde. The league holds that no game can be happily played unless all who take part in it understand and follow the rules. Here they are:

RULE 1. Listen with undivided attention. A period of silence that is occupied in thinking of what one will say as soon as there is a chance to speak does not put the hearer into communion with the speaker. Rejoinders should show that what has been said has been understood, and such rejoinders are possible only when the listening is real.

RULE 2. Never interrupt one who is speaking. To prevent the completion of an utterance is to manifest toward it a disrespect which might preclude further converse.

RULE 3. Don't speak more than a few sentences at one time. Conversation is not monologue. Garrulity is a time-wasting vice that no one willingly tolerates.

RULE 4. Always choose as a subject of conversation what will interest others. How you caught cold why you took the street car, the mental processes by which you reached a decision to eat fruit rather than ice cream are topics that are unlikely to thrill your hearers.

RULE 5. Never talk to a person who is trying to read, write, invent or sleep. If you do this your victim will look against

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By Adele M. Fielde

you the door of the chamber where he treasures his best thoughts, and you will never enter therein.

RULE 6. Do not catechize. True conversation is possible only between those who never pry into each other's secrets, nor trespass upon personal reserve. Spontaneous conversation is refreshing, like the fountain in the sunshine. Compelled conversation is as spiritless as is the pumping of water from a cistern.

RULE 7. Never be a silent presence at a dia-



Do not prolong conversation unduly.



Never be a silent presence at a dialogue.



Do not adhere with too great tenacity to one subject.

logue. When "two are company," remember that "three are a crowd."

RULE 8. Never disregard any person who is present. The possible effect of one's words should be kept in view, whatever the age or the condition of the bystander.

RULE 9. Pitch the voice on a low key and enunciate clearly. A soft, resonant voice is a beautiful thing in man or woman. We speak more often than we sing and should learn to do most agreeably what we do oftenest.

RULE 10. Having once said a thing do not repeat it, either in the same or in other words. Iteration adds nothing to the force of a statement and is bad rhetoric.

RULE 11. If you know ever so little about a topic that is under discussion, put your bit of knowledge into a few well-chosen words, and thus make your contribution to the sum of entertainment. You will be supposed to know much

more than you have told.

RULE 12. Do not adhere with too great tenacity to a subject, refusing to let it lapse. Continuity of thought, requisite in an essay or a lecture, is unnecessary in conversation. Conversation should be recreative, not tedious. For producing its telling effects, iridescent bubbles are better than cannon balls.

RULE 13. Do not prolong conversation unduly. Cease before the appetite for it is wholly appeased, and then its renewal will be anticipated with eagerness.



When conversing maintain an appearance of leisure.

Politics and religion should be argued upon only in private conference or public debate.

RULE 14. Remember that conversation is an exchange of thought. Questions do not constitute conversation. You may induce a person to talk by interrogating him but the talker is aware that he is engaged in exhaustive instruction, not in recuperative colloquy. It is better to acquire knowledge at its established sources, and to avoid intellectual parasitism.

RULE 15. Search for, record and learn the pithy witty sayings of noted persons, and quote such sayings when they are pertinent. To be a distributor of intellectual riches is almost as good as being their producer.

RULE 16. If you tell an anecdote, be sure that it is new. Anecdotes, like fruits, should never be offered except when quite fresh.

RULE 17. If your fellow conversationalist is gloomy, despondent or pessimistic, turn the conversation toward something that will dispel melancholy. Talking of painful experiences, of cruelties practiced in institutions, of disasters at home or abroad, even though it do not affect the hearer unpleasantly at the time, may yet be recalled later and may have unwholesome results. It is better to direct the mind toward what is cheering.

RULE 18. Do not, for the sake of making conversation amusing, connect ludicrous actions with sacred objects. Such notions are apt to recur at inopportune moments, and to spoil or mar high enjoyment.

RULE 19. To casually deprecate others is bad form. If it be necessary to warn or to enlighten, information concerning the source of the danger should be given frankly and correctly, by one upon whom the duty falls. But do not say behind the back what could not be affirmed before the face.

RULE 20. Politics and religion should be argued upon only in private conference, or public debate.

RULE 21. Never cease the quest for new and better words in which to express ideas. Choose a person, place, thing or action and apply qualifying terms until all suitable ones shall have been exhausted. Such exercises will ameliorate that distressing poverty of speech which dubs everything either "great," "awful," or "bully." One's vocabulary may be enriched by diligent search in Roget's "Thesaurus" for the right word. The quality of the brain is made manifest in the choice of adjectives.

RULE 22. Saxon words are to be preferred to those of Latin derivation. Choose words from the writings of such authors as Ruskin, Motley and Carlyle, and bring them into service when conversing. Undertake private practice in stating the same fact in unlike words and sentences.

RULE 23. Cultivate wit, use it on the side of truth and justice, and handle it so that it wounds nobody.

RULE 24. Always evince disapproval of all uncleanness of language or idea. Coarseness is not less coarse because of being accompanied by wit.

RULE 25. When conversing, maintain an appearance of leisure, whether you have it or not. Many a promising bud of congeniality has been nipped by hurried airs.

RULE 26. Conversation should be regarded as

INDIAN EATS WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN

Driven Insane by Hunger, He Becomes a Cannibal.

SEATTLE, Feb. 27.—James McMullen, who returned yesterday to Fairbanks, Alaska, from the Kuskokwim, tells one of the most harrowing tales of the suffering of Indians in that district ever heard in Alaska.

According to McMullen, one Indian, his squaw and two children lived some distance from any human habitation. He depended upon what game he could kill for his food, and not finding the moose and caribou as plentiful as usual he finally found himself on the verge of starvation.

Becoming insane through the pangs of hunger, he one day killed his squaw and in the most cold-blooded manner proceeded to eat the body. When he realized what he had done he evidently was afraid to communicate with any of either his own people or the prospectors who are in that country and in a short time was confronted with the same situation as before.

Then the two little children met the same fate as the mother. The Indian then made his way to the camp of some other Indians, where he told of his crime. He is at present living among his own people, who persistently shun him.

an opportunity for the contact of mind with mind. It should be something more harmonious than music, more satisfying than painting or sculpture, more inspiring than the drama. It should have the charm of good literature and the naturalness of true oratory. Its very commonness creates the duty of elevating it to a lofty plane in our lives, and of maintaining it there as a Social Art.

HERE IS ALL THAT'S HAPPENING IN SOCIETY ABOUT THE BAY

MANY EVENTS DOWN ON CARDS

The marriage this evening of Miss Elizabeth Gray daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Gray, to Frederick Wirt Potter is an event of great importance in local society.

The bride is a well known society girl, a prominent club member and a writer of some repute. The wedding, however, will be a quiet home affair attended only by relatives and close friends. The Rev. E. D. Baker will be the officiating clergyman.

The bride will wear a beautiful gown of white messaline, trimmed with lace. Her veil is of white tulle, and she will carry a shower bouquet of lilacs of the valley.

Miss Mabel Thayer Gray will act as maid of honor, wearing a gown of white panne crepe and carrying a bouquet of Enchantress carnations. The bridesmaids, Miss Helen Wright and Miss Lottie Rich, will wear pretty

gowns of pink silk mull, and will each carry an armful of maidenhair fern.

The ceremony will be performed in the drawing-room under an arch of spring blossoms, and the entire floral scheme of decoration will be carried out in the pink and white chosen also for the gowns of the wedding party.

After the ceremony there will be a wedding supper and an informal reception, after which Mr. Potter and his bride will leave on a honeymoon trip.

They will return here before going to their home in Peabody, Kansas where the groom's business interests are located.

ELABORATE RECEPTION.

Miss Katharine Brown was hostess this afternoon at one of the prettiest affairs of the season a reception given at her new home on Vernon Heights. The complimented guest was Miss Elsa Schilling who leaves early in March for an extended trip to Europe, and the assembled guests included a large number of the younger set.

The house was effectively decorated with spring blossoms, and the charming young hostess and her guests were prettily gowned.

Miss Brown was assisted by Miss Ruth Houghton, Mrs. Hiram Tubbs' Hall, Miss Letitia Barry, Miss Jessie Craig, Miss Ann McElrath, Miss Ruth Kales, Miss Rose Kales, Miss Lucretia Burnham, Miss Florence Eush, Miss Christie Taft, Miss Gertrude Allen, Miss Edith Seiby, Miss Bessie Palmer, Miss Anita Thomson, Miss Mollie Mathes, Miss Elsie Everson, Miss Bessie Reed, Miss Lillie Reed, Mrs. Dan Belden, Miss Beatrice Simpson, Miss Gladys Meek, Mrs. J. Maxwell Taft, Miss Arline Johnson and Miss Johanna Volkman.

CARD PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Bengler were the motif for an enjoyable evening at cards at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamilton of Thirty-fourth street. The game was "five hundred," and the prize, a pretty water color painted by the hostess, was won by Miss Curtis. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bengler, Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. Holman, Miss Curtis and Miss E. Curtis and Mr. Manning.

AN ENGAGEMENT.

The engagement was announced Sunday afternoon of Miss Bessie Boren and Rudolph Rosenberg. The happy secret was told at an informal family affair given by Miss Bessie Boren at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Boren.

About twenty-five friends were present, and the hostess was assisted in receiving her guest by her sister.

Mr. Rosenberg has lived for many years in Oakland, and has made many friends in the social and business world.

There is no definite date fixed for the wedding, but it will probably take place in September. Mr. Rosenberg and his bride will go south on their honeymoon.

CARD CLUB.

Miss Beulah Brigham entertained a

score of friends recently at an informal card party. The guests were all members of the Thursday Afternoon Five Hundred Club.

The prizes were carried off by Miss Jessie Fox and Miss Letitia Barry. Among the players were Miss Ann McElrath, Miss Jessie Craig, Miss Carmen Sutton, Miss Clara English, Miss Marion Walsh, Miss Irene Bangs, Miss Noelle de Golla, Mrs. Kenneth Lowden, Miss Ruth Kales, Miss Elsie Schilling, Miss Ruth Houghton, Miss Carolyn Palmanteer, Miss Myrtle Sims and Miss Cornelia Stratton.

MARDI GRAS.

The Mardi Gras assembly dance, which takes place tonight at the Palace Hotel, will be the last elaborate dance of the season, and promises to rival the brilliant affairs in previous years of the Art Association. Among the guests from this side of the bay will be Miss Gertrude Russell.

FRATERNITY DANCE.

The members of the Kappa Kappa Gamma fraternity of Berkeley will entertain Friday evening at a dance to be given in Reed Hall. The guest list includes one hundred and fifty young people. Among the patronesses are Mrs. William H. Chickering, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. Frederick Whitney, Mrs. Morrow, Mrs. C. Hall and Mrs. J. F. Sims.

IN BERKELEY.

Mrs. Edward Goodrich, Miss Bertha Goodrich and Miss Frances Goodrich, who have been spending the winter at the Knickerbocker, will come over this week to the Berkeley Inn, where they expect to remain during the summer months. The wedding of Miss Bertha Goodrich and Edward Bacon of New York will take place in July.

HOME WEDDING.

The marriage of Miss Ivy Anne Carleton and Justus Henry Rockwell

was solemnized last Saturday evening at the home of the bride. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Wiley of Berkeley, under a canopy of greens and spring blossoms in the drawing-room. Only relatives and a few close friends were in attendance.

The bride wore a gown of duchesse satin, trimmed with point lace, and carried a shower bouquet of maidenhair fern and lilacs of the valley. The matron of honor was Mrs. C. Haven, who wore a gown of white point d'esprit and silk, and the bridesmaid, Miss Ada Ralston, gowned in pale green voile and lace.

C Lombard, an uncle of the bride, acted as best man, and the other attendant was David Gaunce as groomsmen.

The wedding was one of the pretty affairs of the week.

IN THE SOUTH.

George W. Bramhall, with his son and daughter, Miss Florence, left yesterday for Los Gatos, where they will spend a fortnight as the guest of the Wallace Alexanders.

OAKLAND CLUB.

The Oakland Club members and their guests will enjoy a musical and literary program tomorrow afternoon. Mrs. J. G. Lemon will speak on her recent trip to Mexico, and Frank Fowden, baritone of Grace Church, San Francisco, will contribute to the program.

COUNTRY CLUB.

The Claremont Country clubhouse presented an attractive scene last Saturday evening, when Elmer Harris, the clever young writer, gave an informal talk.

Miss Bertha Monroe Rickoff of Berkeley had Elmer Harris as her guest of honor, and others at her table were Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Gurney and

Chickering) left Saturday for Honolulu, after a week at Del Monte. They expect to be gone several weeks.

BRILLIANT RECEPTION.

The joint reception given Saturday evening by the Elks and Nile Club for Frederick Ward was a brilliant affair. The handsome quarters of the Elks were crowded with guests after the reading of "Hamlet" by the gifted actor at Hamilton Hall.

Those who received the guests were E. H. Benjamin, W. H. J. Mathews and Clarence Reed. Among those who called during the evening were: Mayor Mott, T. S. Crellin, Honorable Henry A. Melvin and Mrs. Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. James Melvin and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Reed, Miss Mabel Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ingler, F. W. Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Crowell, John Buswell, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Benjamin, Mr. and Mrs. George Ghradelli, Joe Ghradelli, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Matthews, John B. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Al Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. B. Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Whitney, William L. Hill, J. J. Burke, Tip O'Neil, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Black, George W. Frick, William R. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Dodge, Charles Ott, Captain and Mrs. A. W. Freeman, Dr. Frank Kleeman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hook, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Tisdale, Miss Tisdale, Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Travers, Frank Underwood, Miss Josephine Sarsfield, Miss Jeanette Sarsfield, E. James Finney, Harold S. York, Senator W. C. Ralston and many others.

PERSONALS.

George Bare of this city was in San Francisco recently.

Miss Sue Patterson was recently in San Luis Obispo.

Robert Hunter is a guest at Chico.

Mrs. F. Prindle is visiting friends at Chico.

Mrs. Sarah A. Kent has purchased property in Los Gatos.

BRIDE IN NIGHT ROBE CHASES TWO BURGLARS

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Mrs. Alice Rhoads, a bride of a month, proved her nerve early yesterday when she woke to see two masked burglars at the dressing table in her room in her home in Carabellia avenue, Lodi, N. J. Instead of awakening her husband she leaped from the bed and chased the thieves for two blocks through the streets. Then the cold overcame her and she returned to fall fainting in her room just as her husband awoke.

He restored her and listened with amazement to her story. Her jewel

case had been emptied of all the pretty gems given to her on her bridal day. The thieves had also taken two watches. Mrs. Rhoads said the men were of medium height and build. They fled the moment they saw she was awake.

They did not know she was pursuing them until they had gone nearly two blocks and one of them looked around. They then saw the white robed figure almost at their heels and ran. Mrs. Rhoads who had vainly looked for aid on the way, gave up the chase in despair.



BOULEVARDIS CHOICE FOR CLUB

On the new scenic boulevard, which is the joy of the motorists, will soon be located a club house where this coterie will find a comfortable haven in all kinds of weather, with everything necessary for man and machine. The project was taken up with great enthusiasm by the board of managers of the Alameda County Automobile Club when they met at the home of President G. W. Rodolph last evening, and the entire club is in line with its chosen leaders in a determination to push the thing through.

A committee of the managers was appointed to obtain a suitable location for the country house. It is said that the site chosen will be near Hayward.

In the club house meals will be served, and it will be made an agreeable meeting place for the club members. A complete garage will be maintained upon the property. Active steps have been taken and liberal subscriptions have been made toward the project. It was decided to hold the regular monthly meetings of the board in the parlors of the Oakland garage, corner of Twelfth and Oak streets on the first Monday of each month.

Pennants have been adopted exclusively for the use of club members, consisting of the letters "A. C." red on a green background. The pennant is to be placed conspicuously upon each machine.

JUDGES DECIDE TO BAR AN ENTRY

The victory of four favorites and two second choices put a crimp in the bank roll of many a bookmaker yesterday at Oakland. With a sticky track the picking of winners looked to be attended with more than usual hazard, but such did not prove to be the case. At that, there were some reversals that call for comment. Avonals made a wretched showing in her race. Jackful also performed very much below par in the fourth race at one mile. Canejo and The Captain were also slow on speed, especially the latter, who made an abominable showing.

An attempt was made to have The Captain scratched on account of lameness. The judges decided that his lameness was not sufficiently developed to prevent starting. Judges of the way The Captain performed, the judges would have done the public a good turn by ordering him scratched. It was decided, after the race, that the entry of The Captain would not hereafter be accepted, but this ruling will not be in effect until the hundreds that bet on The Captain.

Cocksure captured the opening event. He went into the stretch with a commanding lead, but Dick Wilson was only a length behind at the finish. Minon, who strided from 2 to 1 to 2, won the second race by half a length from Sylvia Talbot. The latter was best, but Schade took her in the heat, going, which encompassed her defeat.


Lord Nelson acted as pacemaker in the third race at six furlongs, but was easily passed near the finish by Bantam, the favorite. This was the race in which Avonals disappointed her backers.

Brilers landed in the third, followed home by Lone Wolf, a 4 to 1 chance. Chabells, a 2 to 1 chance, made a great bid for the fifth race, and was only beaten a neck by the well-placed Yellowstone. The Captain, the receding favorite, had no speed, and finished absolutely last.

Soufere had an easy win in the last event. Judges had plenty of speed, but he backed up badly the last furlong.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Colonel A. F. Walcott, a civil war veteran and turfman, died last night at his home here from heart disease. He was born in Salem, Mass., sixty-eight years ago and was a member of one of the oldest New England families. Colonel Walcott made a tour of the world twice. He began breeding horses at Oak Orchard, Ky., in 1855. Previous to this he had been well known as a speculator, having made and lost several fortunes in Wall street. He was one of the biggest buyers at the sale of the Lordbird Shapshend Box. In 1887 Colonel Walcott lost heavily on the wheat corner and was forced to sacrifice his Monmouth Park stables.

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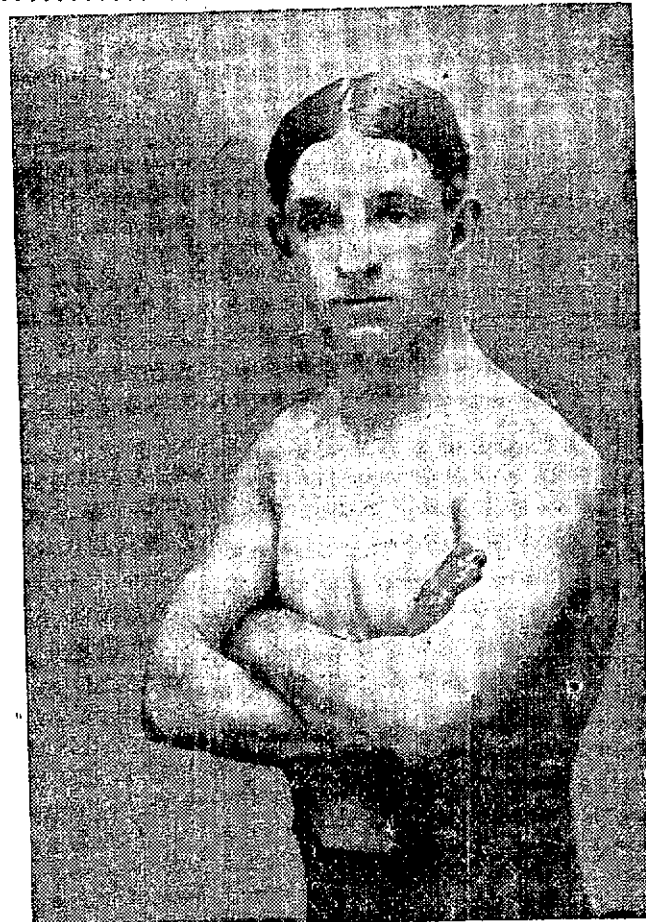


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FRANKIE NEIL, WHO MEETS HARRY TENNY AT MECHANICS' PAVILION TOMORROW NIGHT.

BY EDDIE SMITH.

It is not often that a match between bantam fighters attracts the public notice as the Frankie Neil-Harry Tenny match has done, but it is also seldom that two such slashing boxers get together. Often when the small men are matched, the pugilistic fans look upon the contest as a parlor boxing match.

In this case, however, both Neil and Tenny are essentially fighters and like to mix things from the jump. Both have good punches and there is always danger of one or the other landing a sleep producer. It is this probability of a knock-out that keeps the enthusiasm up with the spectators and sends them home satisfied after the contest.

As usual, both men claim they are in better condition than ever, but that is such an old story that it might as well be left unsaid. However, as both Neil and Tenny are exceptionally careful as to their habits, and both hard workers in their training, it is more than likely that both will enter the ring fit to contest for a kingdom.

NEIL IS FAVORITE.

Frankie has been made the favorite in the betting, and while there is some talk of the men entering the ring at even money, I am of the opinion that Neil will continue on the long end and be a prime favorite. The reason for this is that Frankie has already gained one decision over the little Hebrew, and along with this fact he is backed by the racetrack men, who bet heavily when they like a boy's chances.

Tenny claims that his improvement will surprise the Neil followers, and that owing to the experience he has gained since their last meeting, he will surely beat the champion.

Tenny is a very industrious young boxer, and has not wasted his time since the last meeting. He has devoted his time to perfecting himself in his chosen profession, and should show up well. Neil should be better this time, as well, for in his last meeting with Tenny he held his opponent too cheaply and did not train as hard as he might. But as he had about the hardest fight of his career with the amateur, he will leave no stone unturned in his endeavor to enter the ring at his best. So while he probably has not improved as a boxer, he will be a different man tomorrow night when he again meets the fighting Hebrew. Small men do not draw well as a rule, but everyone who saw the last contest is boosting this meeting, and when the boys enter the ring they should have a large crowd to cheer them on.

NEW YORK NATIONALS ARE OFF FOR TRAINING GROUND

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—The advance guard of the New York National League baseball team will leave this city this afternoon for the training grounds at Memphis, Tenn. In the party will be Christopher Mathewson and his brother, Henry; Gilbert, Donlin, Fitzgerald, J. S. Kennedy, a new infielder whom Manager McGraw has just secured, and Harry Tuthill, the trainer. Manager McGraw, anxious to get to work and be on the ground in advance of his players, left yesterday afternoon.

When asked about his work yesterday,

GOOD RACING IS SEEN AT ASCOT

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 27.—A light crowd attended Ascot yesterday afternoon, but the racing was above the average. Ebony, the heavily plumed favorite at 3 to 5, had an easy time defeating Fustion, Wronne and The Gaddy. He ran the first mile in 1:39 1/2 and finished in 1:42 1/2, breaking the Ascot record by half a second. Daruma, recently bought out of a selling race for \$2000, won by a nose from Orion, the winner of the Ascot Oaks, and Bribery. She ran within half a second of the record.

The Holland stable put over another ally has to walk back.

NEW MAN TO MANAGE CLUB

Fred Dorsaz, the well-known club man and popular photographer, has bought an interest in the Oakland baseball team and will be its financial manager for the coming season. In securing Mr. Dorsaz the club has been particularly fortunate, for he is a thoroughly capable business man and should help wonderfully in boosting the game. He is to be secretary and treasurer of the club and will perform many of the duties heretofore devolving on the other officers. Mr. Dorsaz will have charge of the advertising and all the money matters of the team.

Manager Van Halbur has signed two

catchers, five pitchers, five infielders and

three outfielders for the coming season.

He is also negotiating with three Eastern

pitchers who have been recommended to

him very highly.

UMPIRE KISSED 87 BABIES FREE

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27.—After making forty-nine speeches, shaking 6921 hands, kissing eighty-seven babies and umpiring a baseball game Mike Fisher has returned from Fresno this morning.

Despite the strenuous life, Fisher was fresh as the proverbial daisy and loquacious as ever. "Fresno has gone daffy

over baseball," piped the King, flashing

a two-bit cigar. "Sure, gone crazy. You

never saw anything like it. I hadn't

been in town an hour before they had

me making a speech about my team.

At the start I was a little embarrassed,

but I finally got warmed up and I gave

them a good line of talk. Some one sug-

gested that I run for United States Sen-

ator if Fresno won the pennant. I prom-

ised to enter the race, but I told the

fans that if Fresno didn't make a good

showing I wouldn't be able to get a job

in one of their packing-houses, which

is a fact. So you see I must make good

for Sunday they pulled off that benefit

game, which I umpired. They had a

nice crowd out and I guess the receipts

will reach \$500. I make a record with

the indicator. I leveled nine to the

amount of \$98. I don't believe Cluk O'-

Loughlin or Jack Sheridan ever beat

this. Some of the business men got

and I signed them. I collected some of

the fines, and if the others don't pay

the fines, I will get all the fines.

"Charles Doyle, who will have full

charge of the Fresno Growers, will be at

the game this week. He is going to see

that the baseball grounds are put in

first-class condition. He will supervise

the work. As Doyle is a crank on

grounds, it is safe to say that we will

have a fine field."

DIAMOND CHAT FOR FAITHFUL FANS

Word was received here yesterday that the St. Louis Cardinals are after "Truck" Eagan and second baseman, Casey.

In an interview Manager Fisher admitted that the St. Louis National League Club had made an offer for the pair and that he would not let them go.

Manager McGraw of the St. Louis Club has set his heart on this pair of crack infielders and is still trying to land them, but Fisher decided yesterday that he would not part with them.

"If they got that pair," said Mike, "I might as well close up shop. But take it from me there is not a chance for any major league club landing either. This pair is due to show up at Fresno this season, and there is no chance of any Eastern club getting them. St. Louis has made a pretty good offer, but Fresno cannot afford to lose either player."

WOULD, BUT MAY NOT.

Ike Butler would welcome a chance to play for the Seals this season, but the management is of the opinion that he is not hardy enough for the league.

Butler pitched some good games for Portland two years ago, but last year he was with Grand Rapids. He owns property in Oregon, consequently would like to play on the coast.

WHEELER'S CONTRACT.

George Wheeler was called East recently by the Chicago Cubs, but he is now on his way back to Los Angeles, where he went when the season closed. The news that Henry Harris has retired from baseball has reached Wheeler when he arrived at Chicago on his way West. It was a big surprise to him, and as soon as he heard it he wrote the retired magnate something like this: "I regret to hear that you have quit baseball, for I never worked for a manager who treated me better. I am sure that other players on the team will say the same. Wheeler wanted to know who bought the club, and also if his services would be needed. When Wheeler hears Los Angeles he will find a contract which will undoubtedly please him. Clunie sent him a contract which calls for the same money he received last year, and besides, he has to work a month less for it."

One-half a successful man's success may be due to good luck and the other half to good judgment.

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SALOON GLASSES.

"Willie, I'll have to have my own glasses. I can't see through papa's; they make me dizzy."

"I bet," said Willie, running to get his mother's glasses. "That the reason dad came home so dizzy last night was because he had been looking through different glasses."—Kansas City Times.

When one is driven to drink he usually has to walk back.

BELL IS AFTER FIGHT WINNER

Negro Sends His Challenge to Sacramento.

Kid Bell, the young negro who won a decision over Abe Label at West Oakland recently, sent a challenge to Sacramento today for the winner of the Snellham-Crowe battle which takes place in the Capital city tonight.

Bell had expected to go to Sacramento to see tonight's go, but decided to remain here and help Eddie Menser to train.

Bell hopes to get a match for a main event in Sacramento, declaring that his fight of late have shown him worthy of a go of some importance. Bell says he has had an offer to fight Crowe at Colma in a ten-round battle that would be put on in conjunction with two others of the same length. Krantz and some fighter not yet selected would furnish one of the other bouts and Young Chisinski and an opponent who also is yet to be secured, are slated for the remaining attraction. Bell says, however, that he would prefer to meet the winner of tonight's go in Sacramento if he can secure the match.

The clever negro states that he could secure an event with the Reliance Club in this city, but there is no one hereabouts whom the club can secure to pit against him. The manager of a Stockton club recently approached Bell with an offer to fight there and the youngster replied that he would go on at any time he was given the proper inducements. The club referred to is new, looking for some one to give the colored boy battle.

Bell and Eddie Menser have been training vigorously at the Central Athletic Club during the last day or two, the former merely to keep in good trim and the latter for his go with Ed Robinson (whose name, by the way, is really Materson). They have been setting a furious pace and Bell keeps at his work so hard that he almost sweats ink.

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RELIANCE TO HAVE FINE CARD



CHARLES ("KID") BELL, WHO RECENTLY DEFEATED ABE LABEL, AND NOW SEEKS BIGGER GAME.

The Reliance Club has set March 7 as the date for its second public boxing exhibition, and has signed and exceptionally strong card. The club has six goes carded, and everyone looks as if it will be a fight from the tap of the bell.

Henry Loague will box the main event. His opponent will be either Bob Cairns or Frank Gordon. Either of these boys should give Loague all he can do to win.

The special event between Jack Burke of Sacramento and Walter Stanton of Point Richmond, looks to be the best four-round match that has been made in Oakland for some time. Both of these boys have fought in almost every city in the State, and have always made good.

The rest of the card will be made up of Eddie Menser vs. Ed Robinson, Jack Evans vs. J. Konkel, Young Gruley vs. Spider Swain and Loren Brown vs. Johnnie Crowe.

The Ascot investigation begins tomorrow. Admiration of long-distance racing will have an inning on Saturday.

Ex-Jockey Van Dusen is here with Hippocrates and one other. Dick Williams is rapidly disposing of his stable. "Boats" Durrell has purchased Fireball and Alencon at private sale.

Ebony is a wonderfully improved horse. J. F. Newman is coming here with nine horses, including Don Domo, the "Yrs Ebout."

Garnett Ferguson and Tom Cooke are for Los Angeles today, whether they have been summoned to testify at investigation tomorrow morning.

Knapo only had one mount yesterday. He finished third on Princess Who in the last race.

The Berkeley Club is said to be the biggest winner this season among bookmaking fraternity.

Cutter and Retrograd, who raced Ascot, are now at Oakland.

H. Walker has arrived at Emeryville from Ascot with Mauder, Ousla, Hattie, Cereus, P. Palmer and Luclet.

Bob Harris has arrived from Los Angeles with W. H. Carey, Lotta, Glad Stupe and Mr. Budd.

Cy Mulky celebrated his seventy-fourth birthday yesterday. He has had many ups and downs during his career of moving and racing horses.

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MIQUE FISHER PLATFORM ORATOR

FRESNO, Feb. 27.—Mike Fisher has sent a contract to New York for Frank O'Brien, and if O'Brien does not want to be put on the blacklist of the league team he will have to hurry back to Fresno and play for Mike. Mike's line of twirlers up to date are Schmidt, Brown, Fitzgerald, Levy and O'Brien. Fisher is out ruffling all the time for the good of the ball team.

Last Friday night he made a little talk before the Fresno Realty Board, which agreed with him. Mike said in the course of his remarks that this board is devising schemes to advertise Fresno and bring it before the public, and he added: "I want to tell you that there is no better way to advertise Fresno than with a good ball team. The names will be sent all over the States, and will be watched with interest, and will not that bring the name of the town before the public better than all these little booklets you send out? No person reads them."

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MAY FORCE BIG STRIKE

EMPLOYERS OF 6000 PAINTERS REFUSE TO SIGN AGREEMENT.

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Employers of 6000 painters refused yesterday to sign a "closed shop" agreement presented by the Painters' Union. As a consequence the union men today will begin a canvass of the individual contractors and threaten to call strikes against firms which withhold their signatures.

All agreements under which the union painters have been working during the last year expire tonight. The situation, therefore, leaves an opportunity for radical action on the union's part if the employers persist in their announced intention to make a legal test of the "closed shop" phase of the labor problem.

DARING ACT AT BELL THEATER

Two men riding above each other in a little cage but thirty feet in circumference, zerk-neck eyed prevailing with death staring the riders in the face at every revolution, is the sensational act which the Tinkhams are giving at the Bell Theater this week. How the men in this daring act are able to come through and face the audience, which holds itself breathless until the wheels are on the ground, is a mystery. The turn is exceptional in the extreme. The boys in the act seem to court death at each turn they make around the limited circle, which is but five feet above the level of the stage.

Tinkham, who is the star of the performance, not only is a daredevil, but as well in the whole show, dares to ride a motor "cycle" around the enclosure, making a mile in the fast time of 53 seconds with twenty-six revolutions to the space covered. Tinkham holds the five-mile record on a motor "cycle," made at Garden Park, Chicago, and is a wonder in his physical make-up. He is as hard as a nut and challenges any man in the world to duplicate his wonderful act. Tinkham has been extended to Rev. J. F. Trevitt of San Francisco.

In the meantime, in compliance with Mr. Goodfellow's suggestion, the ladies met this afternoon, at 3:30, in the guild room to make plans for definite work.

LEFT LARGE CLAIM.

Letters of administration were granted Attorney John De Lancey, representing the public administrator, this morning, on the estate of the late George Thompson, a civil engineer, whose estate consists of \$9000 worth of the bonds given by the government of San Salvador in selling property of the company valued at over \$500,000.

The company was formed mostly of Oakland men, of which A. W. Burrell was president, and they deepened a harbor on the coast of San Salvador, by the permission of that government, so as to make deep water for the United States harbor, and proceeded to charge tolls. The venture promised such returns as to attract the eye of the San Salvadoran Government, which seized the property. A protest against the seizure was made by the United States Government and a commission was appointed and a verdict was awarded the company for \$400,000. Colonel John P. Irish represented the company before the commission and presented its side of the case.

Thompson was one of the engineers employed by the company in doing the work and he has \$9000 coming to him out of the award, which now goes to his estate. He died in 1899 on the island of Naos near Panama, and left a wife and child, who are supposed to be living in Alameda. So far none of his heirs have been discovered. He had been separated from his wife for some years.

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